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## MR. CHURCHILL URGES NATIONAL DEFENCE LOAN FOR BRITAIN

### WORLD HINDRANCES TO TRADE

### CURRENCY OBSTACLES MUST BE REMOVED

### BROAD INTERNATIONAL BASIS NECESSARY FOR REVIVAL

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Paris, To-day.

The third plenary session of the congress of the International Chambers of Commerce continued the discussion on the effect on world prosperity of hindrances to the free movement of goods and capital, when all the speakers agreed that there could be no return to normalcy until these obstacles to free movements disappeared.

The chairman of the American group of the International Chamber, Mr. Thomas J. Watson, declared that the problem of the revival of world trade could be solved apart from economic considerations if the whole matter was treated on a broader basis than strictly national. In the economic sphere international thinking was urgently necessary.

Both statesmen and business men to-day were ready to remove the barriers to trade. Import tariffs, restrictions on important exports, and quotas had in the long run helped neither the home nor export business.

### DEVASTATING EARTHQUAKE IN BAVARIA

### Shocks Recorded In S. German Cities

### WHIRLWIND ADDS TO CHAOS AT BERSFELD

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Munich, Earlier.  
A violent earth tremor of three seconds' duration, which though causing no considerable damage gave the stolid Bavarians an unpleasant shaking, occurred here last evening. The walls of dwellings swayed perceptibly, street lamps swung to and fro, while light articles were thrown to the ground.

Earth tremors were also recorded in the South German cities of Nuremberg, Karlsruhe and Mannheim. — Trans-Ocean Service.

**CHURCH STEEPLE ROCKS**  
A later message states that, following the announcement from Munich that violent earth tremors were felt yesterday, comes from Stuttgart the news that shocks were felt in the surrounding hills, being so strong at Balingen in the Schwabian Alps that the inhabitants deserted their homes in alarm. Cupboards, doors and windows were in violent movement, and the shaking of the church steeple was clearly perceptible.

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### HEAT WAVE IN EUROPE

### Record Temperature At Breslau

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Breslau, To-day.  
A temperature of 38 degrees Centigrade, that is over 100 degrees Fahrenheit, in the shade, was recorded by the official meteorological bureau here yesterday. This is the highest temperature known here since the year 1791, while the temperature for the surrounding districts was probably the highest obtained anywhere in Europe yesterday. — Trans-Ocean Service.

### 23 DAYS IN THE AIR

### American Brothers Break Record

### CHEERED BY 25,000 AT AERODROME

Meridian, Mississippi, To-day.

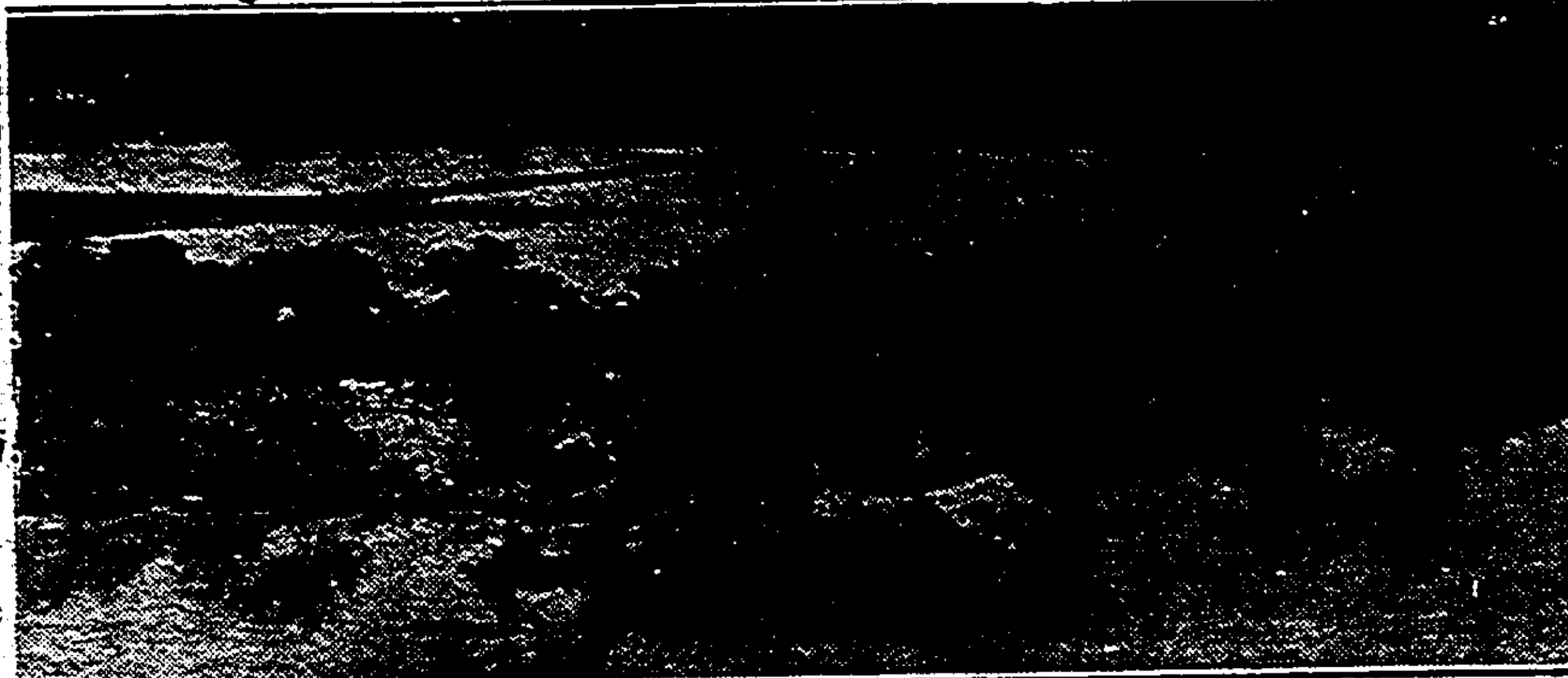
The brothers Fred and Al Key have beaten the world's air endurance record, staying aloft for 23 days 1 hour 41 minutes 30 seconds.

Their feat was tumultuously acclaimed by 25,000 spectators who gathered at the aerodrome here to watch the Keys' little plane "Ole Mississippi" make a final circuit of a 50-mile triangle.

The brothers, though very tired and stiff, are continuing their flight in an endeavour to beat the unofficial record of 26 days 23 hours established by Dale Jackson in 1930. — Reuter.

### WEATHER REPORT

A moderate anticyclone covers the Pacific to the east and south-east of Japan, and a ridge of moderately high pressure extends from it to the Southern Philippine Islands. The depression is moving north-east, over the Sea of Japan, and a secondary depression has formed over the Yellow Sea. Pressure is low over China generally. South-west winds moderate; fair some local showers. The local forecast for to-day is issued by the Royal Observatory this morning.



Crops, chiefly corn and cotton, in the 28,000 acre area near Hochheim, Texas, have been ruined by floods sweeping in from the Guadalupe River. Hundreds were forced to flee from their homes, which were engulfed like this after being a few months ago, surrounded by drought and dust storms.

### FRED PERRY FULLY EXTENDED

### R.A.F. PLANE CRASHES OFF SELSEY BILL

### Hundreds Of Holiday Makers Witness Fatality

London, To-day.  
Hundreds of holiday makers on the Sussex coast yesterday saw an Air Force machine strike the sea and sink off Selsey Bill.

The local lifeboat was launched and recovered the body of Pilot Officer N. D. Ashton, the only occupant of the machine, which belonged to No. 43 Fighter Squadron—British Wireless Service.

### NAVAL CADETS ON RUNAWAY SHIPS RETURN

### Released By Orders Of Rebel Commander

### EXCITING EXPERIENCES UNDER FIRE

[From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton, To-day.

Captain Lu Tung-yang, former Chief of Staff to Rear Admiral I. C. Kiang, is said to be still detained at the gendarmerie headquarters on account of a suspicion that he had something to do with the escape of the cruisers Hai Chi and Hai Shen, although the Admiral himself has been released after a detention of almost two weeks.

Paymaster-Commander Chen Chao-lun has also been released. Restoration of liberty to these two high naval officers and the appointment of Captain Yang Chao-lun, former commanding officer of the cruiser Chiao Ho, as councillor to the Canton Flotilla have shown that these officers were not involved in the plot.

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### CHIANG KAI-SHEK CRITICISED

### Wang Ching-wei Also Attacked

Canton, To-day.

Mr. Chou Lou, Chancellor of the University, is taking an active part in arousing the masses against the danger of the Japanese alcohol at a large distillery, all emanating from Hong Kong, being smashed and many vernacular papers and copied persons receiving light from certain foreign correspondents. Some 45,000 gallons of the Mr. Chou Lou will resign are unprecious fuel were left in the foundry.

### UNDERRATES VAN RYN'S FIGHTING QUALITIES

### SPANISH LADY CHAMPION RESENTS OFFICIAL RULING

Wimbledon, To-day.

The fourth day at Wimbledon opened in ideal weather and 23,000 spectators were present, 16,000 of whom crowded the Centre Court, where Fred Perry, the holder of the Singles Championship, was fully extended by John van Ryn of America in a four-set match.

Mrs. Helen Wills Moody is staging a real comeback; yesterday she eliminated Miss A. M. Yorkie, one of England's finest lady doubles players in straight sets, while Miss Helen Jacobs was fully extended by Miss Conquerne, the Dutch lady champion.

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### MEN'S DOUBLES

H. G. N. Cooper and I. F. C. Lyaght (Gt. Britain) beat C. H. Kingsley and E. Rob 6-1, 5-7, 6-4, 5-7, 6-1.

J. Tamagaki and Y. Nishimura (Japan) beat Billington and Scall (Gt. Britain) 6-2, 6-4, 6-1.

### LADIES SINGLES

Mrs. Helen Wills Moody (U.S.) beat Miss A. M. Yorkie (Gt. Britain) 6-3, 6-1.

Miss Helen Jacobs (U.S.) beat Fri. Conquerne (Holland) 8-6, 6-4.

Miss Peggy Scriven (Gt. Britain) beat Mrs. Shepherd Barron (Gt. Britain) 7-5, 6-3.

Miss Susan Noel (Gt. Britain) received a w.o. from Senorita R. de Alvarez (Spain).

### MEN'S SINGLES (Third Round)

Nigel Sharp (Gt. Britain) beat L. de Stefani (Italy) 8-6, 5-7, 6-3, 2-6, 7-5.

Gottfried von Cramm (Germany) beat Caska (Czechoslovakia) 6-4, 8-6, 6-4.

H. W. Austin (Gt. Britain) beat Mangrove (S. Africa) 6-3, 6-4, 3-6, 6-4.

### MEN'S SINGLES

F. J. Perry (Gt. Britain) (holder) beat J. Van Ryn (U.S.) 4-6, 6-1, 6-3, 10-8.

### HUGE BLAZE IN DANZIG

### Alcohol Tanks Struck By Lightning

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Danzig, To-day.

A terrific explosion occurred here yesterday, when lightning five feet in diameter struck two large tanks full of alcohol at a large distillery, all emanating from Hong Kong, being smashed and many vernacular papers and copied persons receiving light from certain foreign correspondents. Some 45,000 gallons of the Mr. Chou Lou will resign are unprecious fuel were left in the foundry.

### INCREASES IN EXPENDITURE FOR DEFENCE

### BILLS TABLED IN FRANCE

### REACTION TO NAVAL AGREEMENT

Paris, To-day.

The repercussions of the Anglo-German naval agreement are evidenced by the tabling in the Chamber of three bills involving an increase of expenditure of over three milliard francs (240,000,000) for national defence purposes in addition to the 1935 appropriations.

It is proposed to allocate 1,106,000,000 francs to the army, 1,880,000,000 to aerial defence and 200,000,000 to the navy. — Reuter.

### STATE MONOPOLY OF SALE OF ARMS

### All Profits Over Five Per Cent. To Be Taken

Paris, To-day.

General surprise overtook the Parliamentary Finance Committee yesterday when, after voting by 14 votes to 7 in favour of certain supplementary expenditure for the army, navy and air force, proposed by the Finance Minister, a Socialist member of the Committee, M. Moch, submitted a motion that all profits over 5 per cent made by armament manufacturers should be confiscated by the State, the motion being carried by 13 votes to 12, two members abstaining.

The motion explicitly stipulates that, after January 1, 1936, the manufacture and sale of arms should become a State monopoly. — Trans-Ocean Service.

### RESPONSIBILITIES MUST BE FACED

### UNSWERVING SUPPORT ASSURED

### PEOPLE REALISE BRITAIN'S PART IN COLLECTIVE SECURITY

London, To-day.

A national defence loan, "enabling us to pull up to our proper position in the world and to put ourselves abreast of our great responsibilities," was advocated by Mr. Winston Churchill in a speech at a dinner of the 1900 Club (consisting of Conservatives).

Mr. Churchill said that if the Government persevered in that course they would have the unswerving support of the nation and the House of Commons.

"I am astonished to find," he continued, "in the list of His Majesty's Ships participating in the Royal Review at Spithead the names of those for which I was fighting in the estimates to rebuild a quarter of a century ago."

Sir Bolton Eyre-Monsell, First Lord of the Admiralty, replying, said that there had been a great change in the opinion of the large mass of the people, who until recently favoured the unilateral disarmament of Britain.

"I think they now realise," he said, "that if Britain is to play her part in the collective security, it must be a large part and a strong one." — Reuter.

A Paris message states that the meeting between Mr. Anthony Eden and M. Laval ended inconclusively, and Mr. Eden returned to London yesterday afternoon.

The talk lasted two hours, at the termination of which a communique was issued saying that Mr. Eden had reported his conversations with Signor Mussolini on the Italo-Ethiopian dispute, and that steps would continue with the object of finding common ground to adjust the methods of the British and French Governments to achieve the programme mentioned in the London Communiqué of February 3.

**LAVAL'S PRESS STATEMENT**  
A Trans-Ocean Service message states that the conversation between Mr. Anthony Eden and M. Laval continued until 1:30 p.m. yesterday, when M. Laval made the following statement to the press:—

"Mr. Eden on his return from Rome informed me about his discussions with Signor Mussolini." (Continued on Page 10)

### HOOLIGANISM IN MADRID

### DEMONSTRATIONS BY COMMUNISTS

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL  
Madrid, To-day.

The newly opened publicity information bureau of the German State Railways here was the object of a hostile demonstration on Wednesday night, when Communists threw stones and smashed the modern display window, the illuminated sign and other lighting equipment. The police appeared on the scene and dispersed the mob with blank shots and made several arrests.

Shooting also took place in other quarters of the city the same night, between the extreme Left-wing groups and the police, one person being seriously injured that he is expected to die. — Trans-Ocean Service.

### PRINCESS ROYAL'S RECOVERY

London, To-day. — H.R.H. the Princess Royal, who underwent an operation for treatment of the thyroid gland on June 23rd, has made a satisfactory progress and was able yesterday to leave the nursing home. — Trans-Ocean Service.

### M. HERRIOT IN DISGRACE

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL  
Paris, To-day.

The local branch of Lyons of the League for the Rights of Man announces once more that M. Herriot has been expelled from membership because he refused to obey the summons of the League to appear in person to answer certain charges against him made during his tenure of office. — Trans-Ocean Service.

### PEACE BALLOT RESULT GIVEN IN ALBERT HALL

### MAJORITY SUPPORT LEAGUE

London, To-day.

Representatives of all the chief political parties, the Chinese Minister and several other foreign diplomats sat on a common platform at the Albert Hall mass meeting of the League of Nations Union yesterday, presided over by Lord Cecil, at which he announced the result of the peace ballot on the questions of the League of Nations, disarmament, and international control of armaments.

Over 11,500,000 people participated in the ballot, of which the vast majority voted for support of the League and all-round disarmament by international agreement.

The speakers included the Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr. F. W. Norwood, Mrs. Corbett Ashby, and Sir Walter Citrine.

### RESONATING CHEERS

One feature of the meeting was the resounding cheers when two speakers paid tributes to the work of Mr. Anthony Eden. A working woman, pleading on behalf of the mothers in the great war, drew tears from the eyes of the audience, while Dr. Norwood's remark that "vast masses of people in every country on earth feel pretty" (Continued on Page 15)

### EXPULSION FROM LYONS LEAGUE

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## FROM EUROPE

Hosang (Air Mail ex Amsterdam) June 30  
 FROM U.S.A.

Pres. McKinley June 28  
 Pres. Hoover July 4  
 Emp. of Japan July 5  
 Pres. Garfield July 5

## FROM JAPAN

Pres. McKinley June 28  
 Mantua June 28  
 General Pershing June 28  
 Emp. of Japan June 28  
 Maroon June 30  
 Nankin July 1  
 Pres. Hoover July 4  
 Pres. Garfield July 5  
 Emp. of Japan July 5  
 Hakozaki Maru July 5  
 Arizona Maru July 5  
 Tantalus July 5

## FROM SHANGHAI

Mantua June 28  
 General Pershing June 28  
 Pres. McKinley June 28  
 Sinking July 1  
 Aramis July 1  
 Hector July 1  
 Pres. Hoover July 4  
 Pres. Garfield July 5  
 Emp. of Japan July 5  
 Tantalus July 5

## FROM MANILA

Nellore July 3  
 FROM STRAITS & INDIA

Hosang June 30  
 Mentor July 2  
 Conte Rosso July 4  
 Maroon July 5  
 Agamemnon July 5

## FROM AUSTRALIA

Nellore July 3

## OUTWARD MAILS

## FOR EUROPE

Emp. of Russia (via Siberia and Vancouver) June 28  
 Closes: Reg. 9.15 a.m. Ord. 10 a.m.  
 Mantua (via Marseilles Air Mail Service) June 29  
 Closes: Reg. 9.45 a.m. Ord. 10.30 a.m.  
 Andre Lebon (via Siberia) June 29

Aramis (Marseilles Air Mail Service) June 29  
 Closes: Reg. 9 a.m. Ord. 9.30 a.m.  
 Hector (via Marseilles) June 29  
 Closes: Reg. 8.45 a.m. Ord. 9.30 a.m.  
 Pres. Pierce (via San Francisco) June 29  
 Asama Maru (via Sibiria) June 29  
 Hector (via Marseilles) June 29

## FOR MANILA

General Pershing June 28  
 Pres. McKinley June 28

## FOR SHANGHAI

Emp. of Russia June 28  
 Andre Lebon July 2  
 Asama Maru July 2  
 Pres. Pierce July 2

## FOR JAPAN

Emp. of Russia June 28  
 Andre Lebon July 2  
 Pres. Pierce July 2  
 Asama Maru July 2

## FOR STRAITS

Asama Maru July 2  
 Hector July 2

## FOR U.S.A.

Emp. of Russia June 28  
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## WOMEN'S PAGE

## FLOWERS BLOOM IN THE GARDEN OF FASHION

## GIRDLES, BRACELETS, CORONETS AND DRESS SPRAYS

London. Fashion says flowers with a unanimity that is unusual on the part of dress designers. Florists are finding a ready demand for the natural blooms as dress trimmings. By day and for evening, women are taking to their fresh and fragrant posies.

But the liking for natural flowers goes side by side with the season's demand for all kinds of marvellously realistic reproductions in silks, organdie, and velvet. There are girdles round the waist, trailing wreaths on the corsage, and shoulder sprays

that are more like collars. A quaint and charming Victorian revival is the bracelet, or rather, bracelets of small flowers.

Floral Coronet The Suzy floral coronet is a head-dress fashion for youth that is now becoming a positive craze. In fact, flowers, in one way or another, dominate the fashion situation.

The floral vogue, it should be said, is not economical. Its charms lie in absolute freshness, whither blooms are natural or artificial. Faded flowers are depressing. Limp and tired looking artificial blooms can make the smartest of gowns appear dowdy. Another point to notice is that straggling flowers, though graceful in themselves, are not the best for effect. Clustered roses, marguerites, carnations, pansies and the various kinds of poppy are good.



## THREE STYLES WITH ONE HAT

## Trimming Of Feathers Or Field Flowers

## ACCESSORIES TO MATCH

One smart hat, if it is well cut and of good quality straw or felt, may be made to do for several outfits. Various trimmings should be chosen to match the accessories of the different ensembles.

Here are three ways of adapting a fine straw model of natural colour to the need of the moment. Trimmed with three tiny ostrich feathers, it is worn with a crepe dress and organdie trimmings. A straw handbag is carried, and the chamomile gloves have beehive gauntlets of straw to match.

A wreath of field flowers—poppies, cornflowers and daisies—encircles the crown. A posy to match is worn in the lapel of the natural coloured linen costume. A stiff gilt necklace of heart shape has two inlaid hands of scarlet enamel.

Gloves are of natural coloured linen. The scarlet handbag has the new front, which opens to disclose a triple mirror.

A plain cord ribbon is worn with the caped coat, finished at the neck with cream and blue kid bow with fringed ends. A smart bag with chromium latch fastening and cream hoggish gloves with cherry-wood buttons make out of the ordinary accessories.

## A WARNING

Remember that it is a mistake to apply too strong a toilet aid to the skin. The most satisfactory results are obtained by the regular use of one that the skin can absorb.



A flame coloured negligee of chiffon worn by Hetta Davis, Warner Bros. film star. Soft ruching defines the dropped shoulder robe and edges the trailing flounce, which gives sweep to the hemline of the garment. The high waistline is marked with a crushed satin sash which ties in front.

## MESHED CROCHET GLOVES

To wear with dark linen dresses, wide meshed crochet gloves with stiffened gauntlets are just the thing. The gloves have a jabot to match. In chalk white or café au lait.



## Oil And Sunlight For Faces

## Two Great Beauty Aids Says Dolores Del Rio

## STAR'S FAVOURITE SPORTS

Oil and sunlight are the two great beauty aids—and the only ones—of the lovely Latin star, Dolores Del Rio.

Possessed of the glamorous olive complexion of so many of her countrywomen, the "Mexican orchid" depends only upon the fine texture of her own complexion, with the warm red blood showing through the healthy tanned skin,

## STATELY GOWNS

## Two Interesting Styles CUT TO FIT THE HIPS

Smart evening gowns are of two kinds—moulding the line of the figure, or with spreading skirts which may become anything from six to eight yards in circumference.

For the former, dressmakers prefer supple lame, soft satins—all the more flexible fabrics. Stiff satins and silks are for those frocks which, with their wide skirts and tight bodices, recall the fashions of the '60s. The difference is that the skirts are cleverly cut to ensure that the hips shall be flat.

It is made from chain-patterned silver lame brocade, a perfect material for a gown for a State ball, or, with a train added, for a Court dress. The coat to match is lined with palest pink satin quilted in a shell pattern.

Bustles and berthes appear on the more spectacular dresses. A gown of printed white and violet slipper satin has a skirt flowing to a majestic train, with a double bow at the waistline at the back.

Scarlet poulx de soie is used for another wide-skirted frock; the shoulders of which, stiffened and rolled outwards to form a species of collar, are lined with stiffened white lawn.

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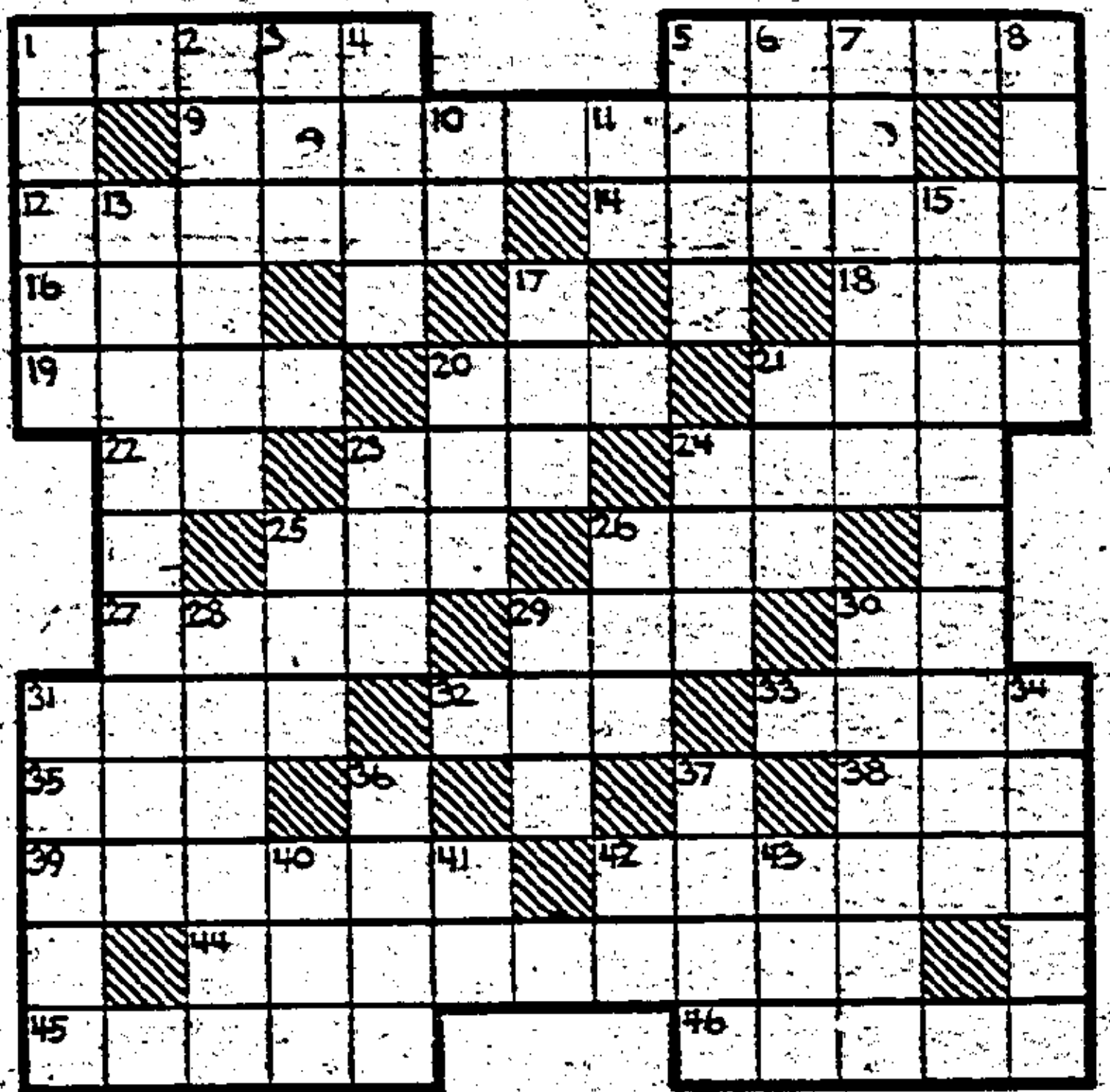
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## OUR CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



- HORIZONTAL**
- Spent
  - Shadow
  - Considered
  - Withered
  - Landed estates of gentlemen
  - Make a mistake
  - Portuguese coin
  - Network (Lat.)
  - An insect
  - Apparition
  - Civil Service (abbr.)
  - Tavern
  - Constructed
  - To work at with steadiness
  - Youth
  - Iron spike
  - Bone of the body
  - Right (abbr.)
  - Check
  - Guided
- HORIZONTAL (Cont.)**
- Blood vessel
  - Farm animal
  - Man's name
  - Land surrounded by water
  - To wait upon
  - Full of conceit
  - Relieves
  - Entrance
- VERTICAL**
- More sagacious
  - Stings
  - Territory (abbr.)
  - Paradise
  - Chief actor
  - Fowl
  - Worshipped
  - Girl's name
  - Had (contr.)
  - Exist
- VERTICAL (Cont.)**
- Uprightness
  - The act of retaining
  - Girl's name
  - Sans
  - Innate
  - Sick
  - Chart
  - Fasten
  - Cover
  - Passageways
  - Sans
  - Rapel
  - Elevate
  - Simpleton
  - (Prov., Eng.)
  - Man's name
  - Diminutive suffix
  - Border old
  - Delirium tremens (abbr.)
  - Because
  - A metal

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue.

## A WHITE SEASON

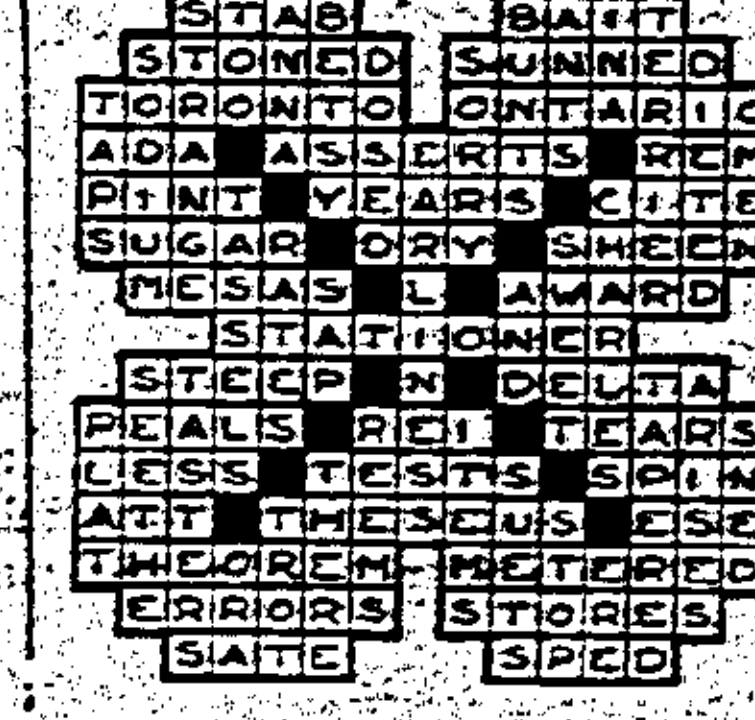
## Lingerie Note More Pronounced

This is to be a White Summer. Gradually the cool-looking touch of white has crept back into fine weather modes. This year the lingerie note is more pronounced than ever. An example is the jabot of white frilled georgette, which falls in the waist of the navy blue silk dress. The matching cuffs come well up the arm, and the wide-brimmed hat of white straw completes an ideal summer day ensemble.

## HOUSEHOLD HINT

If the shelves of medicine cabinets are lined with blotting paper, this will absorb any drops which may run down the bottles, and will also lessen the noise of handling the bottles.

## YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION



## SCARVES PREVENTED FROM SLIPPING UP

Scarves have a habit of working up at the back—especially when children are wearing them. If the scarf is slipped through the hanger at the back of the coat this annoyance is stopped.

## Bringing Up Father

COUNT VITAMINE IS HERE HE IS THE FAMOUS DIETICIAN AND HE IS GOING TO TEACH ME DIETETICS



I'LL TAKE A LOOK AT HIM



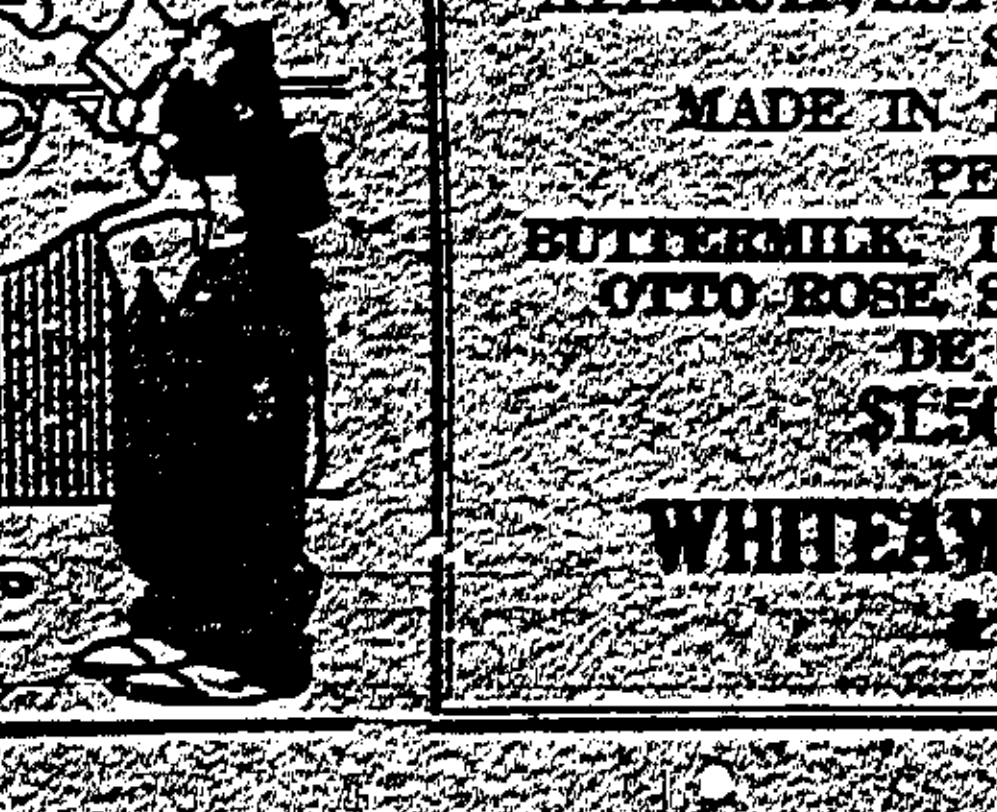
I MIGHT HAVE KNOWN IT! GET OUT OF THAT ICE BOX!



WHAT'S THE IDEA?



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A. W. BROWN,  
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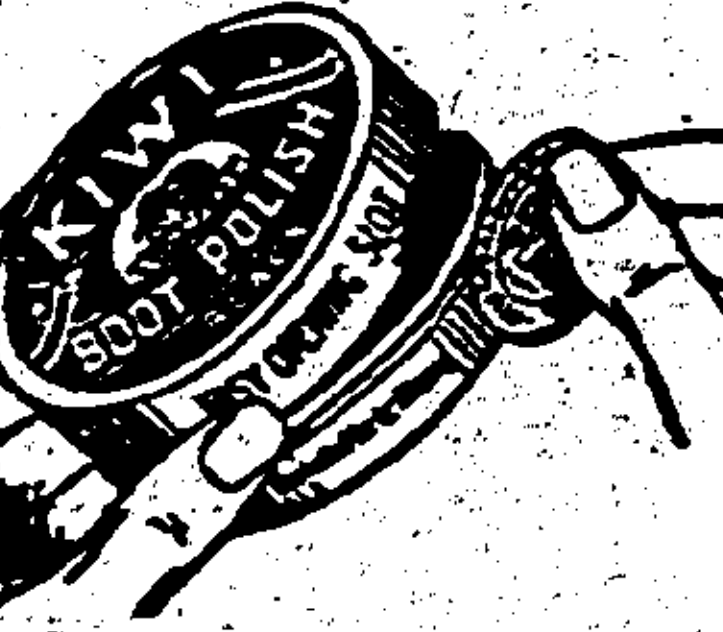
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**BRIDGE NOTES**  
**Slam Against Psychic Bids**  
By Ely Culbertson

Although there is no doubt that the repeated use of psychic bids against strong opposition gains but little and frequently loses a lot—there are times when psychic and bluff bids make the task of the adversaries very difficult. If the psychic bidder is lucky and either has a strong escape suit of his own or finds one in his partner's hand, he will not get into much trouble and very often will make the opponents stop at game when there is a laydown slam, or stop at a part-score when there is a game. On the hand below, however, West's psychic did not work because of the very fine bidding of its opponents.

West Dealer  
North and South vulnerable  
North:  
S—Q J  
H—K 8 5  
D—A Q J 6  
C—K Q 5 3  
West:  
S—10 8 2  
H—7 4  
D—10 9 5 4  
C—J 10 9 6  
East:  
S—A 9 7 6 5 4 3  
H—9 6 3  
D—8 2  
C—7  
South:  
S—K  
H—A Q J 10 2  
D—K 7 3  
C—A 8 4 2

The bidding: (Figures after bids refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs.)

West North East South  
1C(1) 1D(2) Pass(3) 2C(4)  
Pass 2NT 3S 4H(5)  
Pass 5H(6) Pass 6H(7)  
Pass Pass Pass  
1—Even though there was a possibility that East, who had not as yet had an opportunity to bid, might hold a strong defensive hand, West felt that with his very weak holding the situation was desperate, and chose the lowest ranking suit so that a possible outlier could be found while the bidding was still at the level of one.  
2—North, with not much strength in either of the major suits, decided to overcall with one diamond rather than double for a takeout.  
3—East did not know as yet that his partner's bid was psychic, and because of the sparsity of honours in his hand, did not make a free bid feeling that he could show his long spade suit on a subsequent round.  
4—With a partner strong enough to overcall when vulnerable, South was sure there was at least a game in the hand. He overcalled in the opponents' bid suit to

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## PUNISHMENT OF CRIME

(Continued from Page 2.)

There are three possible motives for inflicting a penalty on a criminal—the hope of re-forming him; the wish to deter others from doing the same thing; and the wish to hurt the criminal because we think it right that he should be hurt. The last is in my opinion, the only legitimate use of the word punishment. Reformatory treatment is not punishment because it happens to be unpleasant.

**An Avenger**  
Surgical operations are generally unpleasant, but we do not call them punishment. The motive of deterrence is only justifiable as an act of self-protection by the State against its potential enemies. Punishment in the proper sense is always and essentially vindictive. The criminal law, as St. Paul says, is an avenger to execute wrath upon him that doeth evil.

We have become much more merciful since the days when descriptions of the torments of hell resounded from every pulpit. But is the desire to see justice done upon the transgressor an unworthy feeling? I cannot think so.

Take a case of horrible cruelty to a child or even to an animal; or of a man bribed to betray his country in time of war; or of cold-blooded seduction; or of poisoning.

Surely we wish to see the offender suffering condign chastisement; and if he is too bad to be reformed, that is certainly no reason for letting him off.

I observe that in almost all these questions I generally have the Socialists against me. This does not make me at all more inclined to alter my opinion.

guarantee that the bidding would not die under game and thus to assure himself that he would have sufficient opportunity to ascertain just where the hand should be played.

5—The three-spade bid increased the difficulty of South's task. The bidding was now much too crowded for South's peace of mind, but he had no choice but to show his heart suit at this point.

6—A very fine bid, indeed, by North. He now realised that West's opening club bid must have been a psychic and that South, in order to bid hearts at the level of four-odd when vulnerable, after previously having overcalled in the opponents' bid suit, must have some sort of diamond fit. North was worried about two possible spade losers, and therefore bid only five hearts, inviting the Slam if South could take care of the spade situation.

7—South, of course, welcomed the sudden signs of life shown by his partner. North's five-heart bid almost certainly marked him with the heart King, and his two-trump bid indicated a reasonably good diamond suit and at least one honour, if not more, in clubs. There must be some sound play for the slam after North's invitation. North, of course, could have passed the four-heart bid if he had not held a good hand.

The slam was an absolute lay-down against any opening. Actually, West opened a spade East won the trick with the Ace and shifted to a club and South was able to claim the balance of the tricks.

## COUNCILLOR AS "OFFICE BOY"

**Alleged Suggestion To Firm**

**ACCUSED MAN AND CONTRACTS**

Liverpool.

Allegations that a city councillor suggested that a firm should put his name on their books as a messenger or office boy and pay him commission on business he could obtain for them under corporation contracts were made in the police-court here recently.

Arthur Lumb, Bagot-street, Liverpool, a member of Liverpool City Council and a director of a Liverpool firm of engineers, was reminded on bail on a summons accusing him of an offence under the Public Bodies Corrupt Practices Act.

Mr. J. R. Bishop, prosecuting on a fiat of the Attorney-General, said that Lumb was summoned "that between March 28 and April 5 of this year he corruptly solicited for himself a reward as an inducement for him to procure for Morris and Jones, wholesale grocers, Liverpool, contracts for the supply of goods to Liverpool Corporation."

**Several Visits**

Lumb, he added, made several calls on Morris and Jones. On one of these visits he said: "There is no harm in your employing me as an office boy or messenger, say at 5s. a week, and paying me commission on any business I get for you."

Asked what he meant by "employing" him, Lumb replied: "Just putting me on your books and I become an employee. There is thousands of pounds worth of business to be got in this way, and it is being done by others. Why shouldn't you be in it? It will mean about \$50,000 a year, because the Corporation is the largest single buyer in the city."

Mr. Bishop said defendant was given very clearly to understand that they would not entertain anything in the way of secret communications for anyone.

## St. Teresa Services For Week-end And Next Week

The following are the forthcoming services at St. Teresa's Church, Kowloon Tong.

To-morrow—Feast of St. Peter and St. Paul—Princes of the Apostles.

1 p.m.—Removal of the present premises of the St. Teresa's C.Y.M.S. to the top floor of the Rectory.

4.45 p.m.—Meeting of the members of the Third Order of St. Francis. Reading of a Chapter on the Life of St. Francis of Assisi.

An explanatory talk on the Little Office of B.V.M.

Reception of the Rev. P. Luke Fung to the Novitiate, followed by a choir practice.

Sunday, 30th Sunday after Pentecost, closing day of the month of the Sacred Heart.

Flowers—Indulgence, topics, flowers from noon to-morrow till midnight 7.30 a.m. 1st Mass with Sermon in English 8.30 a.m. 2nd Mass with Sermon in English, followed by Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament. 10.30 a.m. 11.30 a.m. Sunday School for Messrs. Children, Servants, Convent, Kowloon, St. Teresa's C.Y.M.S. launch

## COUNCIL MEETING

**Large 1935 Deficit Budgetted For**

**DROP IN ESTIMATED REVENUE EXPECTED**

At yesterday's meeting of the Legislative Council the Colonial Treasurer, Mr. Edwin Taylor, disclosed the fact that a deficit of nearly \$2,000,000 had been budgetted for this year, and there were signs that the estimate of revenue for 1935 would not be maintained and as a result the Government would be faced with a drop of about \$1,000,000.

The statements were made during the first reading of an Ordinance authorising the appropriation of a supplementary sum of \$685,442 to defray the charges of the year 1934.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government (Sir Thomas Southern, K.B.E., C.M.G.), presided, and there were also present:

The Honourable the Officer Commanding the Troops, Brigadier H. G. Seth-Smith, D.S.O.

The Colonial Secretary (Hon. Mr. D. W. Trautman C.M.G.); The Attorney General (Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, K.C., O.B.E.); The Secretary for Chinese Affairs (Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith); The Colonial Treasurer (Hon. Mr. E. Taylor);

Hon. Commander G. F. Hole R.N. (retired), (Harbour Master);

Hon. Dr. W. B. A. Moore (Acting Director of Medical and Sanitary Services);

Hon. Mr. M. J. Breen (Postmaster General);

Hon. Sir Henry Pollock, Kt. C.B.;

Hon. Sir William Shenton Kt.; Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, C.M.G., LL.D.;

Hon. Mr. W. H. Bell; Hon. Mr. S. W. T'so, O.B.E., LL.D.;

Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson; Hon. Mr. T. N. Chan; Mr. H. R. Butters (Deputy Clerk of Councils).

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. The Colonial Secretary, by command of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, moved the adoption of the report of the Finance Committee No. 3 of June 13.

**New Ordinances**

The following bills passed through their final stages without amendment—A Bill to regulate the payment of emoluments, pensions, gratuities or other allowances due to persons certified to be unable by reason of mental disability to manage their affairs; A Bill to amend further the law relating to Merchant Shipping; and A Bill to amend the Pensions Ordinance 1932.

Following the Council, a meeting of the Finance Committee was held, at which votes totalling \$44,350 were approved. The Colonial Secretary presided.

## RADIO

**TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME**

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station, ZBW, on a wavelength of 355 metres. (845 K.C.A.).

Gramophone Record by the Rev. C. R. Sargent.

"Book Reviews."

12.30-1.15 p.m.—European Programme.

12.30 p.m.—Recorded Music.

1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

1.15 p.m.—Hong Kong Hotel Orch.

1.30 p.m.—Reader Press Bulletin, Rugby Press News, etc.

2.15 p.m.—Close Down.

4.30 p.m.—Calculus Programme.

7.11 p.m.—European Programme.

7 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations.

7.45-7.58 p.m.—A Concert.

The Nightingale and the Rose, Op. 2 No. 2 (Rimsky-Korsakov).

Bestrice Harrison.

Songs—Manella Mia (Neapolitan Folk Song) (Gianini).

0 Solo Mio (di Capusi).

Dionisia Giannini (Soprano).

Violin Solo—Trisane—Rhapsodie de Concert (Ravel).

M. Z. Francescatti.

Songs—The Bandolero (Stuart).

Bedouin Love Song (Pignuti).

Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone).

Songs—Love, I Give You my All (Dowden & Bealy).

Always (Dyrenforth & Smith).

Ina Sones (Soprano).

7.58-7.59 p.m.—Concert Waltzes.

Tales from the Vienna Woods (J. Strauss).

Blue Danube (J. Strauss).

Carmen Sylva (Ivanovic).

7.59-8 p.m.—From the Studio.

"Book Reviews" by Sabina.

8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

8.05-8.20 p.m.—Harry Roy's Tiger Ragamuffin.

1. Fox Trot Medley.

2. It don't mean a thing, Happy Feet; Everybody Loves My baby.

3. Memories of You; Rain, I Get Rhythm; Goodbye Blues.

4. Shave My Sweetheart; Sweet Jenny Lee.

8.20-8.25 p.m.—"Everybody's Song" arr. by Gersh.

8.25-8.30 p.m.—Concert in A Minor.

Op. 16 (Grieg).

Arthur de Greef and the Royal Albert Hall Orchestra.

9.45 p.m.—From the Studio.

The 4th Festival of Gramophone records by the Rev. C. R. Sargent.

10 p.m.—Reader Press Bulletin.

9.45-10.30 p.m.—A Variety Programme.

Orchestra—The Frolicsome Hare.

Piano Solo—Jazz Goblins.

Raisa da Costa.

Vocal Duets—'I'd do the most extraordinary thing' (W.H. Davies).

Exercises Day and Arthur Haines.

Xylophone Solo—Kitten on the Keys.

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Song—Love, forever I adore you.

Ronald Murray (Tenor).

Fox-Trot—Here come the British.

Organ Solo—Ninette.

R. E. McPherson.

Song—Near and yet so far.

Evelyn Lave (Soprano).

Vocal Duets—Along covered Wagon.

Walsh and Barker.

10.30-11 p.m.—Dance Music.

11 p.m.—Close Down.

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H. Westlake Sr. (C.S.C.C.)	7	5	2	0	155	111	44	0	1
J. J. Basto (Recreo)	7	5	2	0	140	102	38	0	1
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G. H. Stewart (T.D.E.C.)	8	5	3	0	148	153	0	5	1
A. R. Smith (Police)	8	4	3	1	164	150	14	0	1
H. H. Rose (K.B.G.C.)	6	4	2	0	121	87	34	0	1
W. Way (C.C.C.)	6	4	2	0	132	115	17	0	1
H. Overy (K.C.C.)	6	4	2	0	118	104	14	0	1
A. Brooksbank (H.K.F.C.)	7	4	3	0	132	127	5	0	1
F. X. Soares (Recreo)	8	4	4	0	154	133	16	0	1
A. F. Paul (H.K.F.C.)	8	4	4	0	145	156	0	10	1
J. P. Robinson (K.C.C.)	4	3	1	0	84	80	4	0	1
G. Logan (Police)	5	3	2	0	94	102	0	8	1
A. Macfarlane (H.K.F.C.)	6	3	3	0	98	120	0	22	1
J. W. Bonnar (R.H.K.Y.C.)	7	3	4	0	126	135	0	9	1
W. Ward (C.C.C.)	7	3	4	0	126	151	0	25	1
R. E. Manghan (R.H.K.Y.C.)	7	3	4	0	117	149	0	32	1
W. B. Muskett (H.K.F.C.)	8	3	5	0	149	163	0	14	1
G. Castello (R.H.K.Y.C.)	2	2	0	0	48	34	14	0	1
H. Rosario (Recreo)	3	2	1	0	68	45	23	0	1
E. Remedios (Recreo)	3	2	1	0	73	53	20	0	1
W. Glendinning (Police)	8	2	5	0	148	163	0	15	1
C. Strang (C.S.C.C.)	4	1	2	1	77	90	0	13	1
A. Webster (H.K.F.C.)	8	1	6	1	120	171	0	41	1
H. Hampton (K.C.C.)	1	1	0	0	26	16	10	0	1
J. Watson (T.D.E.C.)	1	1	0	0	26	17	9	0	1
A. Jackson (H.K.F.C.)	1	1	0	0	20	14	6	0	1
A. H. Basto (Recreo)	1	1	0	0	23	20	3	0	1
L. A. Luck (C.S.C.C.)	1	1	0	0	20	37	5	0	1
W. McHardy (Police)	1	1	0	0	16	15	1	0	1
E. Basto (Recreo)	2	1	1	0	39	39	0	0	1
Y. Akbar (C.C.C.)	2	1	1	0	38	44	0	6	1
W. Gull (K.C.C.)	2	1	1	0	30	37	0	7	1
L. E. Lamont (K.C.C.)	3	1	2	0	50	66	0	16	1
A. O. Brown (C.S.C.C.)	4	1	3	0	77	79	0	2	1
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## RECREIO CHALLENGE IN "C" DIVISION

### CENTRAL BRITISH ASSOC. SEVERELY TROUNCED

#### SILVA AND GONSALVES SHINE

(By "Baseline")

DISPLAYING an all-round superiority, the Recreio defended their unbeaten record in the "C" Division of the Lawn Tennis League at the expense of the Central British Association, winning by 8 sets to 1 yesterday.

The Central British pairs all commenced favourably, but proved no match for their faster opponents, whose fleetness of foot and deadliness overhead played a large part in their victory.

A. E. SILVA and H. GONSALVES, THE PICK OF THE RECREIO COMBINATIONS, ARE AS GOOD AS SOME OF THE "F" DIVISION PAIRS I HAVE SEEN IN ACTION. GONSALVES, IN PARTICULAR, WAS VERY IMPRESSIVE, BEING VERY GOOD IN ALL DEPARTMENTS, BUT SPECIALISING IN ANGLE-VOLLEYING AT WHICH HE WAS BRILLIANT. HE DISPLAYED A GOOD FOREHAND AND, WHEN OCCASION DEMANDED, SMASHED WITH DEADLY ACCURACY.

Silva has a very good service and invariably scored with his first ball. He was safe on his backhand and also in his volleying.

Smith and Claydon Shine

Smith and Claydon were the pick of the visitors, the former excelling on the forehand and volley, while Claydon made some spirited attempts to outdrive his opponents, succeeding on several occasions.

One of the most disappointing features of yesterday's display was the failure of Gurevitch and Holden. The latter commenced very favourably against J. Xavier and Rozario, extending them to 12 games in their match, but thereafter they collapsed and could do little right.

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### ARMY TENNIS CLUB RETAIN 100 PER CENT.

#### CRAIGENGOWER DEFEATED

#### RIDLEY AND BERRIMAN AGAIN SHINE

Entertaining the Craigenower Cricket Club in the "C" Division of the Lawn Tennis League, the Army Tennis Club yesterday retained their unbeaten record, winning by 6 sets to 3.

Scores:—  
Sergt. Wilson and Sergt. King (A.T.C.)—  
drew with J. W. Howard and A. Kitchell ..... 6-6  
beat S. A. Cussamboy and Wei Chung ..... 6-2  
beat E. B. Hamson and T. Locke 7-5  
Cpl. Ridley and Cpl. Berriman (A.T.C.)—  
lost to Howard and Kitchell ..... 2-6  
beat Cussamboy and Chung ..... 6-4  
beat Hamson and Locke ..... 6-2  
L/Sergt. Eyvott and L/Cpl. Grayford (A.T.C.)—  
drew with Howard and Kitchell ..... 6-6  
lost to Cussamboy and Chung ..... 5-7  
beat Hamson and Locke ..... 6-1

### I.R.C. IN DANGER OF LOSING THEIR 100 PER CENT.

#### C.R.C. Challenge To-day

#### INTERESTING MATCHES IN "D" DIVISION

Some very good tennis is expected at Sookumpoo to-day when the Indian Recreation Club's 100 per cent. record in the "D" Division of the Lawn Tennis League is likely to be seriously jeopardised as a result of their meeting with the Chinese Recreation Club. The Chinese commenced their season with an overwhelming win over the fairly strong University team, winning all nine sets, M. K. Lan and T. K. Leung proving much too good for the opposition.

#### Indian Danger

Minu and Hassan will be the greatest danger to the Chinese as they have played together before this season and have a thorough knowledge of each other's tactics. M. I. Razack and A. K. Suffiad are a fairly strong pair, and the Indians will rely upon these two combinations to give them their win.

Another fairly interesting encounter will be seen at King's Park where South China and the Radio, who are both lying second in the table, meet.

To-day's programme is as follows:—  
S.C.A.A. v Radio—(King's Park)  
K.D.R.C. v Police—(Hung Hom)  
K.F.C. v Army T.C.—(Chatham Rd.)  
I.R.C. v C.R.C.—(Sookumpoo)  
C.S.C.C. v K.R.G.—(Happy Valley)

#### SILVA'S RINK VICTORIOUS

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After a disastrous start, the Dockers' team drew level on the 18th end, but thereafter the Recreio four drew away gradually to place the issue beyond doubt on the last end, previous to which the score stood at 17-15 in their favour.

## GOLF NOTES

(By "NIBLICK")

IT was unfortunate that owing to the foul weather of a couple of weeks ago the final of the Kowloon Golf Club's Open Fours had to be postponed, as the later date found F. C. Barry inconvenienced by a slightly poisoned arm.

Without detracting from the game played by Charlton and Murphy, who proved ultimate winners, I think that the 36-hole final would have resulted in a keener contest had Barry been fit. As it was, the verdict of 5 and 4 showed a fair reflex of the day's play, the heat and boggy nature of the fairways obviating any hope of good scoring.

Woolley and Barry turned four down, and although they held their own in the afternoon session, it was not sufficiently good enough to make up the leeway resultant of the morning round.

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### L.R.C. SECURE FIRST WIN IN "C" DIVISION

#### KOWLOON INDIANS BEATEN

#### ISMAL AND SUFFIAD DECIDE ISSUE

The Indian Recreation Club defeated the Kowloon Indian Tennis Club by 5½ sets to 3½ to record their first win in the "C" Division of the Lawn Tennis League, at Sookumpoo yesterday.

Scores:—  
M. R. Madar and A. Rahmin (I.R.C.)—  
beat Firdos Khan and M. A. Khan 6-4  
lost to Mahan Singh and J. Khan 4-6  
lost to F. Ali and I. M. Singh 1-6  
T. Hamet and A. R. Abbas (I.R.C.)—  
lost to Khan and Khan ..... 6-3  
beat Singh and Khan ..... 6-2  
beat Ali and Singh ..... 6-4  
A. R. Ismail and A. S. Suffiad (I.R.C.)—  
drew with Khan and Khan ..... 6-6  
beat Singh and Khan ..... 6-4  
beat Ali and Singh ..... 6-2

### RADIO WIN OVER CIVIL SERVICE

#### "D" Division Tennis Encounter

At Happy Valley yesterday the Radio Sports Club beat the Civil Service Cricket Club by 6 sets to 3 in the "D" Division of the Tennis League.

Scores:—  
W. Chanson and Kalwant Singh (R.S.C.)—  
beat E. L. Fisher and I. Agafuruf ..... 6-1  
drew with G. Fowler and W. Bobbington ..... 6-6

College  
lost to E. Porman and N. J. Bobbington ..... 4-6  
Karnail Singh and G. Singh (R.S.C.)—  
beat Fowler and College ..... 6-5  
beat Fisher and Agafuruf ..... 6-1  
beat Porman and Bobbington ..... 6-4  
M. H. Hassan and N. B. Kitchell (R.S.C.)—  
lost to Fowler and College ..... 3-6  
beat Fisher and Agafuruf ..... 6-3  
drew with Porman and Bobbington ..... 6-6



Some of the players from the Central British Association, the Indian Recreation Club, who met in the "D" Division of the Lawn Tennis League yesterday, resulting in a win for the former by 6 sets to 3. From left to right are: E. L. Fisher, I. Agafuruf, A. R. Ismail, A. S. Suffiad, M. R. Madar, A. R. Abbas, T. Hamet, and A. Rahmin. (King's Park)

## HOCKEY WIZARDS IN AUSTRALIA

### MELBOURNE & SYDNEY CROWDS AMAZED

#### UNSTINTED PRAISE FOR INDIAN TOURISTS' RECORD

Sydney, May 24.

THIN, rubber-muscled legs carrying lean bodies in a scamper down the field, dark faces glowing with excitement, wrists that control a hockey stick like a juggler handles his wand... and a white man running hither and thither in a vain endeavour.

Just an impression of a hockey match on the Albert Ground, Melbourne, between All-India and Victoria on Saturday last. The sons of India were in their element. The same could hardly be said of the intensely earnest but generally ineffective Victorians who were the Indians' opponents.

THAT REMARK IS NOT INTENDED AS A REFLECTION ON THE VICTORIANS. THEY WERE DOING THEIR VERY BEST, AND IT WAS A BEST THAT WOULD HAVE SUICIDED AGAINST ANY OTHER COMBINATION OF HOCKEY PLAYERS IN AUSTRALIA.

But their feelings at the close of play, with the scores 15 to 4 against them, must have been very much akin to those of the team that represented the United States of America at the 1932 Olympic Games, and which was beaten for the championship by India. Did I say beaten? Perhaps overwhelmed would be the better word. The scores in that match were India 24 goals, America 1.

#### A Scientific Game

Watching the All-India hockey team playing, Victoria's best XI last Saturday, I got the impression that here was something that was more than just a game. The Indians were playing as

though they had never done anything else. There was an atmosphere of the scientific about every move they made. Speed, plus cool calculation and undisturbed concentration. That is an epitomised description of India's methods on the hockey field.

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### AUSTRALIAN CRICKETERS FOR INDIA

#### To Meet All Ceylon In October

Sydney, May 30.

The Australian team, which is to tour India at the end of this year, will play a three-day match in Colombo on October 25, 26 and 28 on their way to India.

Owing to the very exacting demand of the Indian Board of Control, there was a likelihood of the match falling through as the Ceylon Cricket Association felt it was impossible to agree to the terms that were formulated.

#### Defray Expenses

The Secretary of the Indian Board of Control was informed that the C.C.A. was prepared to defray all expenses incurred by the team of fifteen players and its Manager, during their stay in Colombo and to forward all the profits of the match up to an amount of Rs. 5,000.

The Secretary of the Ceylon Cricket Association, Mr. L. V. Goonetilleke, has now received a letter from Mr. A. S. de Melho agreeing to the terms.

#### C.C.A. Meeting Next Week

The Australian tourists will arrive in Ceylon on October 23, by the P. and O. Mongolia. The match against the Ceylon team will begin on Friday, October 25 and continue till Monday with a break on Sunday. The tourists will leave Colombo by the Chitral on October 30 for Bombay.

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#### Australian Team

The following players constitute the Australian team, which will tour India:—  
JACK RYDER (Victoria)  
E. IRONMONGER (Victoria)  
JACK ELLIS (Victoria)  
H. I. HENDRY (Victoria)  
A. ALLSOPP (N.S.W.)  
T. LEATHERS (N.S.W.)  
A. KIPPAX (N.S.W.)  
C. G. MACARTNEY (N.S.W.)  
H. S. LOVE (N.S.W.)  
R. OXENHAM (Queensland)  
F. BRYANT (W.A.)  
R. O. S. MORESBY (Tasmania)  
T. M. GREGORY (C.V.W.)  
H. ALEXANDER (Victoria)  
L. NAGEL (N.S.W.) and  
H. C. CHILVERS.

### GOLF STARTING TIMES

#### Holiday Pairings At Fanling

The following are the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club starting times for Fanling on Sunday.

OLD COURSE  
9.24 a.m. B. Forbes, I. H. Geary.  
9.28 " R. A. Rodgers, O'Neil Gordon.  
9.32 " E. M. Bryden, E. C. Webb.  
Trains leave at 9.30 a.m.

MONDAY  
OLD COURSE  
9.24 a.m. O'Neil Gordon, I. H. Geary.  
9.28 " R. A. Rodgers, H. P. Somers.  
Trains leave at 9.30 a.m.







# MUSIC AND DRAMA IN "STOLEN HARMONY"

## CROSBY AND FIELDS ARE OUTSTANDING IN "MISSISSIPPI"

### CROONER AND COMEDIAN CO-STAR IN LATEST MUSICAL EXTRAVAGANZA

CLAUDETTE COLBERT AND LOUISE BEAVERS GIVE OF THEIR BEST IN "IMITATION OF LIFE"

By DIANE



Rudy Vallee, of Radio fame, with Ann Dvorak in a scene from "Sweet Music." Warner Brothers' latest musical extravaganza, which is coming to the Alhambra Theatre.

## SHORT SHOTS

GRACE MOORE celebrated her fourth anniversary of her wedding with the Spanish actor Valentino Parera while on her way to London to sing at Covent Garden. Cinemas goers who have never been to the famous Opera House before will turn up in hundreds to applaud the now famous screen star.

D. W. Griffith will direct his old movie "Broken Blossoms" at a Twickenham studio.

Lewis Stone recently celebrated his twentieth year in films. He hopes to stay three more years in Hollywood, then achieve his ambition to see the world. He has always wisely refused stardom, but I notice that Frank Morgan, favours the stardom position and in his new film "The Perfect Gentleman," a comedy-will after 15 years, in pictures, see his name in lights.

After over 14 months' absence from the screen that delightful "unlike-like lady," Jessie Matthews, has sufficiently recovered to start work with Griffith Jones and Sonnie Hale in "First a Girl."

At last Al Jolson has acceded to the earnest wish of his wife Ruby Keeler and they have adopted a boy from the most famous orphanage in the States, known as "The Cradle" from where Marjorie Hopkins, Gracie Allan and George Burns, the Joe E. Browns, and many more film stars, have adopted girls and boys. The new Jolson baby is half Irish and half Jewish, as are his new parents.

"Love me Forever" has Grace Moore, Leo Carrillo and a new man, Robert Allan, in the leading roles. Due for release shortly.

Janet Gaynor is hard at work in "The Farmer Takes a Wife," with Henry Fonda, the original from the stage, as her lead. He was the first husband of Margaret Sullivan.

The famous "Chan" (Warner Oland) is now in Egypt; at least his next picture will be laid there, with Pat Patterson as the heroine. This little English girl seems very happy with her new husband, Charles Boyer, who is at present the screen's newest male sensation. He recently finished starring opposite Katharine Hepburn.

Edward Everett Horton is again with Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers in "Top Hat."

Many of the famous film stars seem determined to "cash in" on their children going into the "fun" as soon as they walk or talk, or even before that. Edna DeVorell says that her little girl will play in pictures as soon as a part is found for her. Dick Arlen's son has only made one film appearance so far, but Carol Anne Beery is to be in "China Seas" with her daddy.

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GEORGE Raft said he did not want to be in any more films where he danced, but now we find him in a musical, "Stolen Harmony," with the Broadway favourite Ben Bernie sharing in the honours. They both make this a really enjoyable blend of music, comedy and fast drama, with catchy songs, neat dances and breezy talk.

Note the newcomer Lloyd Nolan who comes through with a fine character performance. The support is all one could desire in blonde Grace Bradley, Goode Montgomery and Charles Arnt. Worth seeing. (Alhambra).

#### "Mississippi"

Look at this for a cast! Bing Crosby, W. C. Fields, Joan Bennett, Queenie Smith (a famous little personage from the Broadway stage) and songs by Rogers and Hart, the most successful being the old-timers like "Swanee River" warbled by Bing. Booth Tarkington's story "Magnolia" has been three times filmed and also ran as a stage play. Buddy Rogers did it in the early days of the talkies under the title of "River of Romance." This time Paramount have garnered a magnificent cast with two of their three most popular box-office attractions as the stars.

"Mississippi" largely depends upon "atmosphere," which shows us the "Old South," the show-boat, cotton plantations, crinolines, and Colonial homes.

Bing Crosby, in side whiskers and flowing stock, is engaged to Gail Patrick, Joan Bennett's elder sister, but is branded as a coward because he refuses to fight a duel with John Miljan, who considers himself the rightful claimant to the lady's hand.

The remainder of the story chiefly concerns itself with Bing's efforts as a swordsman, and then because of his remarkable voice he is taken on a show-boat owned by W. C. Fields, who advertises him as the "Singing Killer."

Bing relies for his success on his natural acting and charming voice. Joan Bennett is ideally cast and in perfect keeping with the period background.

W. C. Fields will appeal to his followers, but, alas, if you are not an admirer of his usual type of befuddled, bragging old rascal, you will prefer the singing of Bing, who shares in the stellar honours.

It is a pity that Queenie Smith is starved of material. Other less significant, but nevertheless important roles are skilfully played by Gail Patrick, John Miljan, Claud Gillingwater and Fred Kohler.

This picturesque musical is highly recommended—that is if you favour Bing Crosby and W. C. Fields as much as I do. (Queen's).

#### "The Great Flirtation"

This is rather in the mood of "Twentieth Century" and shows stage-folk acting like mad people in private life.

Elissa Landi and Adolphe Menjou are absolutely perfect in

the leading roles. The story tells that he is famous in Budapest as a great actor while his wife (Miss Landi) is unknown.

The tables are turned when they go to America. The wife becomes famous, while the husband only plays supporting roles. Their marriage is kept a secret, so a young playwright (David Manners, one of my favourite juveniles) falls madly in love with the heroine.

The story is a little jumbled and sentimental but colourful and helping hands are found in the splendid supporting cast, Lynn Overman, Raymond, Walburn and Adrian Rosley. Not to be missed. (Alhambra).

#### "Transatlantic"

That clever Yorkshire comedian Sydney Howard made a trip to Hollywood to act in this film, and the little we see of him is

the exasperating old gentleman who is so susceptible to flattery. He is the ideal choice for the part, while Aline MacMahon (seen far too seldom here) is excellent as the wife. Minna Gombell, Alan Hale, Minor Watson shine in support.

The legends of British admirers of Sinclair Lewis's novels will not want to miss seeing one of his most successful novels screened so well by First National. (Alhambra).

#### "Before Midnight"

One of the many mystery stories, which are so alike that one loses sight of the plot. Just picking on the culprit among the cast seems to be the cinema-goer's diversion. In this film we have Ralph Bellamy as the star with June Collyer (Mrs. Stuart Erwin) as the heroine. Just another picture, that will please



George Barbier and Edward Everett Horton in one of the scenes from "Stolen Harmony," the Fox Film production which commences at the King's Theatre next Thursday.

extremely amusing; but I regret to say most of his scenes are on the "cutting-room" floor at the Studio, as his style of comedy is limited in appeal. Anyhow there was so much to crowd in this "Grand Hotel" theme. Crime, romance, humour and musical spectacle, well produced by United Artists under the direction of Benjamin Stoloff. The action takes place on a liner, where we are introduced to Nancy Carroll, Gene Raymond, Jack Benny, Mitzi Green, Sydney Blackmer, Sid Silvers, Ralph Morgan, Shirley Grey, Sam Hardy, William Boyd and many more, including popular Radio stars.

The dramatic load is carried by Miss Carroll, Gene Raymond and Sydney Blackmer most creditably. The success of the film lies in its team work, good dialogue and realistically-staged settings, all with an eye upon box-office appeal. (King's).

#### "Kiss And Make Up"

Genevieve Tobin and Carry Grant, with the usual super assistance from Edward Everett Horton, in a smart comedy about nothing much, in particular, but which provides plenty of amusement. Hero Cary Grant runs a Beauty Parlour, where he combines business with pleasure and finds himself entangled with one of his best patrons (Miss Tobin), whom husband (E. E. Horton) divorces.

Gary's subsequent disillusionment provides a bright and near-naughty satire on the kind of beauty that is bought in shops. The climax is one long laugh. Advised. (Queen's).

#### "Rabbit"

Sinclair Lewis's famous character "George Babbalanja" comes to the screen with Guy Kibbee as

"fans" who favour this type (Queen's).

#### Queen's Attractions

The man who caused a sensation in "One Night of Love," Tullio Carminati, will shortly be seen in "Let's Live To-night."

Lilian Harvey is fragile and lovely as the heroine, and Carminati will delight the feminine "fans" as much in this story, laid in Monte Carlo, amidst fragrant gardens and on board sumptuous yachts, as he did in the musical with Grace Moore.

A blood-curdling thriller follows this, "Mark of the Vampire," with Lionel Barrymore, Bela Lugosi, Jean Hersholt, Elizabeth Allan and others. (Due at the Queen's).

Lawrence (new names to me) are

the impetuous lovers, while Alan Dinehart enacts his usual unsympathetic role.

No one would willingly miss a picture which gives such a chance to the popular comedian. (King's).

#### "Romance in Manhattan"

The Czechoslovakian actor Francis Lederer is popular with most theatre and cinema audiences. One day I may find out the reason. Anyhow in this picture the adorable Ginger Rogers will most likely be the attraction; at least she is for me.

Mr. Lederer repeats the performances he gave in "Man of Two Worlds" and "Pursuit of Happiness," although this time he is an emigrant lad who enters the States illegally. The story tells of his fight to make good in the big city and his love for the chorus girl.

Miss Rogers neither sings nor dances—unfortunately—but she is just as much in her element in the acting line. More of this later. Due at King's.

#### Star, Kowloon

"Judge Priest." Story laid in an old Kentucky town, with Will Rogers ambulating through, dispensing philosophical wisecracks. Anita Louise, Tom Brown and Rochelle Hudson chief among support.

Followed by one of the earliest among the British talkie releases, with Frances Day and the late George Grossmith. "The Girl from Maxims" may please you.

Tuesday—one day only—we have "Gallant Lady," starring the lovely Anne Harding and the popular Clive Brook. This, be it noted, gave us our first glimpse of the present "rage" Tullio Carminati, as the singing Baron who almost captures the heroine's heart. Well worth seeing twice.

Followed by "The Most Precious Thing in Life," just another story, redeemed by excellent acting by Jean Arthur, Donald Cook, Anita Louise, Richard Cromwell make the most of their chances, but the acting honours are won by Miss Arthur in a drama of mother love.

In July the Star will give a Revival Week, the same as the Oriental. First a week of popular comedies and then a week of dramas. Likely to be a huge success and deserving of support. More of the particular pictures to be shown later. (Star).

Majestic

Wheeler and Woolsey in "Kentucky Kernels" should fill the Majestic. These two comedians in a story of the old South, aided by "Spanky" McFarland, hand out many laughs.

Followed by a sugary sweet drama of a little cripple girl and the boy who truly loves her, Jean Parker and Jimmy Dunn. Both twice at the Majestic. (Oriental).

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#### Oriental

"David Copperfield" with W. C. Fields, Roland Young, Freddie Bartholomew, Frank Lawton, Maureen O'Sullivan and a list of names that look like a catalogue of well-known artists, in the famous classic by Dickens.

Followed by one of the few really great actors on the screen Paul Muni in "Hi Nellie." If you are keen to see a true story of life in a famous newspaper office, then here is your chance. Grand fun and grand drama perfectly acted. Recommended.

The best acting in Loretta Young's career is in "White Parade," the saga of the noble life of a nurse in a big hospital.

John Boer, Jane Darwell, Frank Conroy and Sara Haden give out the boy who truly loves her, Jean Parker and Jimmy Dunn. Both twice at the Majestic. (Oriental).

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## The China Mail

Hong Kong, Friday, June 23, 1935.

### Beer And The Dollar.

The very full report which we published on Wednesday of the speech made by Mr. S. N. Dodwell as Chairman of the Hong Kong Brewers and Distillers, Ltd., was throughout a perfect example of the difficulties imposed on our industries by our currency. We are a small community, unable to hit back when we "get it in the neck" from our neighbours. But has no other community ever been in the same predicament? Has no remedy ever been found for the obstacle of a tariff fence?

It is only a generation since English trade began to feel the pinch of hostile duties. The slogan then adopted was "fight Protection by Free Trade," which meant that the higher the sale price made necessary by the tariff should be balanced by a decreased cost of production due to the lowest possible cost of raw materials, secured by free admission of imports. The rapid rate of increase of wealth due to the industrial revolution is considered to have come to an end about 1885, but the increase, though slowed down, was not stopped till the disastrous year 1914. The reason was that as the purchasing power of money was steady, investors could still calculate their estimates with confidence, and rely on their dividends buying as much as their original investment would have done, had they spent it instead of using it to make new work and wealth. It may be said that if the dollar goes up the dividend will buy more; but the fact is that if the rise has been at all sudden there will be no dividend. Any industry incurs certain fixed liabilities that do not adapt themselves to variations in exchange; and when the variations are due to political and speculative influences that cannot be foreseen the industrialist is not in a position to take advantage of the rise or fall in the value of his money.

Financial speculation is far more disastrous than speculation in raw materials or finished goods, partly because it takes longer to dispose of a large stock, and buyers can hang off for a time and can almost always find alternative sources of supply—as was shown in the recent gamble in pepper, and partly because the gains and losses are personal to those concerned, while a rise and fall in the value of money concerns everybody that has any transaction at all. The only way to check the evil is industry, and there are no signs to

be inside of a "currency area" big enough to be beyond the influence of the clever gentlemen who are out to raid the community. Not enough attention has been paid to the experiences of the various trading countries with different systems during the last two or three years. We hear always of depression, because the depressed countries are in the limelight. We are not told that the Scandinavian countries—Sweden, Norway, Denmark and Finland—are at present absolutely prosperous. We are not told that Sweden is having what can only be called a boom. All these countries are stabilised on sterling at a definite figure. Wherever the English pound is the measure of value, they can sell their goods for a price which they are able to compute, and they can buy money's worth. What is called "the sterling bloc" has been able to use money which has had a fixed value as a purchasing medium to a greater extent than the dollar or the franc, or than either gold or silver.

It is quite true that it was often said that during recent years silver was a more stable standard than gold. That was partly because when the price of silver was low there was no temptation to open up new mines, and the quantity smelted out of mixed ores in the rest of the world was fairly constant and steady. The reason was that as the purchasing power of money was steady, investors could still calculate their estimates with confidence, and rely on their dividends buying as much as their original investment would have done, had they spent it instead of using it to make new work and wealth. It may be said that if the dollar goes up the dividend will buy more; but the fact is that if the rise has been at all sudden there will be no dividend. Any industry incurs certain fixed liabilities that do not adapt themselves to variations in exchange; and when the variations are due to political and speculative influences that cannot be foreseen the industrialist is not in a position to take advantage of the rise or fall in the value of his money.

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Here  
There  
and  
Everywhere.

### PALL MALL

Everyone knows that Pall Mall, which to-day forms the very heart of London's club-land, owes its name to the French game of "paille-maille," which was introduced into England by the Stuarts. Few, perhaps, will know that it was once called Catherine-street, in honour of Charles II's Portuguese Queen. But that name never came into popular use. Paille-maille, which was Anglicised into pell-mell, was a game played over an "a" or a green with a long-shafted mallet and a wooden ball. It was not unlike croquet.

It had been played in St. James's Fields in the time of King Charles I., with much probability over the very land which the street now traverses. The link with the game has survived; that with the Queen is forgotten.

As early as 1598 Sir Robert Dallington wrote of the game: "Among all the exercises of France, I prefer none before the Paille-Maille, both because it is a gentleman-like sport, not violent, and yields good occasion and opportunity of discourse, as they walk from the one mark to the other."

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### SEEMING ATTEMPT TO KIDNAP

Guatemalan Consul's  
Child Vanishes

PUT ON SIDE VERANDAH  
BY CHINESE WOMAN

An apparent attempt was made yesterday to kidnap little Maria Theresa, the four-year-old twin daughter of the Guatemalan Consul, Sr. J. G. Gonzalez de Bernedo, living at No. 74 Waterloo Road, Kowloon.

The child had been playing with her twin sister in the garden when, shortly before 4 p.m., she was missed. After a frantic search lasting half-an-hour, the child was discovered on the side verandah where, she said, a Chinese woman had put her and had run away when she heard shouts from the house.

### POST OFFICE ARRANGEMENTS FOR NEXT MONDAY

Next Monday the General Post Office will be open from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. and the Branch Post Offices from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. There will be one collection from the pillar boxes and one delivery of ordinary correspondence as on Sundays and one delivery of registered correspondence at 2.30 a.m. The Money Order Office will be entirely closed.

of it being beneficial to commerce. The variations are too big to be dealt with by an Equalisation Fund, but the logical alternative to stabilisation on sterling, if a silver standard was desired, would have been the introduction of the Indian Rupee. We are too small a unit

## PUNISHMENT OF CRIME

### WHY DEATH SENTENCES ONLY FOR MURDER?

### OVERHAUL OF CRIMINAL LAW NECESSARY

(By Very Rev. W. R. Inge)

If I were made dictator, I think I should employ the short interval between my appointment and my assassination in overhauling the criminal law, which seems to me to have lagged far behind what any intelligent person would wish to see.

To a large extent the law is no doubt controlled by public opinion. Juries will not convict if their sympathies are strongly with the prisoner. But public opinion is also influenced by the law, and sometimes, I venture to think, mischievously.

The most salient example is murder. A hundred years ago there was a long list of capital offences; now murder and high treason alone remain. There is a confused idea that the Old Testament sanctions the execution of murderers and of murderers only. The truth is that under the Mosaic law many other offences, including adultery and Sabbath-breaking, were punished by stoning.

#### A Different Footing

The result of the change in our criminal law is that murder is popularly regarded as on a different footing from any other crime. Writers of detective stories almost always choose murder as their subject; the public is only mildly interested in anything else. The police, when they are not shepherding pedestrians across the streets, are engaged in hunting down murderers.

The public take a ghastly delight in these "mysteries," and when the culprit is found, he is bound to his fate with a callousness greater than that of the Roman populace at a gladiatorial show. The mode of execution is humane; the moral cruelty of the publicity is monstrous. Meanwhile, the police seem to be too busy to attend to burglars, who are allowed to pursue their depredations almost unchecked.

#### State's Rights

I have not the slightest sympathy with the agitation against capital punishment. The State is quite within its rights in weeding out thoroughly undesirable citizens. But our manner of doing it is barbarous and unjust. If the authorities judge a malefactor to be incurable, he ought to be humanely extinguished without any publicity, and without casting any stigma on his name or family. The capital sentence ought not to be attached to murder, only. Many murderers are by no means incorrigible criminals; many burglars are so. I shall never forget seeing a batch of prisoners just released from Stafford Gaol; they were on the platform of the railway station. Several of them were "fellows by the hand of nature marked, quoted and signed to do some deed of shame." No one would employ them; they were simply turned loose to prey upon society, which no doubt they proceeded to do. The absurdity of our prison system was borne in upon me irresistibly.

#### Offences Against God

In all ancient codes, offences against God were punished as crimes. There was no distinction between sin and crime. Theoretically we now hold that the law does not punish sin. But in practice it does.

Some kinds of immorality excite repugnance among decent people, and they are still punished by long terms of imprisonment, though the culprit is usually allowed 24 hours to fly from the country.

Other kinds of immorality, such as adultery, which in many old codes was a capital offence, are not punished at all. The result is that offences of the former class, which are often caused by mental abnormality, are regarded with horror, while the shameful sin of adultery is condoned. It would be better, I think, to protect the young of both sexes

#### Another Survival

Another curious survival of the notion that the State ought to punish sin is the attitude of the State towards suicide, which is still a crime in our law, though not, I believe, in any other civilised country.

As a Christian I am bound to condemn suicide, though I must own that when a patient is suffering horribly from an incurable disease, I think there is much to be said for reconsidering the uncompromising condemnation which Christian moralists have always passed upon euthanasia.

It seems hardly consistent to fine a man for not putting a dog or horse out of its misery, and to hang him for conniving at the decision of a friend to hasten his own release. From the legal as opposed to the religious point of view I think a man has a right to declare his innings closed; and I should always give a criminal the option of carrying out his sentence upon himself.

Another manifest absurdity is to put on his trial for murder a doctor who, having accidentally caused the death of a patient while performing an illegal operation, he ought to be punished, no doubt, but not as a homicide. Nothing was further from his intention than to kill his patient.

#### A Nice Question

It is a nice question how far the sympathies of the judge and jury ought to influence the verdict and sentence. We do not wish to see the emotional appeals which in France often gain acquittal for the perpetrator of an *crime passionnel*, and some considerations, namely, the good looks of a female prisoner, are certainly illegitimate. The admission of women to juries, has, I am told, unmasked many seductive female malefactors.

Behind all discussion of reforms in criminal procedure lies the question whether it is right to punish at all—a favourite topic in school and college debating societies. It is not very difficult to straighten this matter out.

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### CROWN PRINCE OF SAUDI ARABIA IN LONDON

London, To-day.—The British Government gave a dinner last night at the Foreign Office in honour of Amir Saud, Crown Prince of Saudi Arabia. The Foreign Secretary, Sir Samuel Hoare, was in the chair. British Wireless Service.



"Jack, why did you run away when you wanted to stop your dirty mouth?"  
"I wanted to stop my dirty mouth."



## REVIEW OF ALL THREE SERVICES BY H.M. THE KING

### Great Air Display At Duxford

### SPITHEAD NAVAL PAGEANT ON JULY 16

London, To-day. H.M. the King returned to London this morning after three weeks at Sandringham, where he has greatly benefited from the rest and fresh air which his medical advisers considered desirable after the fatigue and strain of the Jubilee celebrations.

In the early part of July, after the visit he intends to make to Newmarket, he will review in turn the three fighting services.

On July 6 he will visit the aerodromes at Mildenhall and Duxford and, after reviewing at the former over 350 aircraft and their personnel—the largest concentration of aircraft ever held in Britain—he will proceed to Duxford, where 20 squadrons will fly past him. Free accommodation for 100,000 spectators is being provided at Duxford.

A week later the King, accompanied by his four sons, will ride on to the parade in Rushmore Park, Aldershot, and after a Royal salute by the First Cavalry Brigade there will be a march past by representative units of every branch of the service.

Rushmore provides a wonderful theatre for such an event, with seating accommodation for 77,000 spectators.

On July 16 the King will review the fleet at Spithead—150 warships and numerous representative vessels of the merchant navy and fishing fleets—British Wireless Service.

## INDIAN JUDGE ON VACATION

### Hon. Mr. Thomas In Colony

#### RETURNING HOME

After a two months' vacation, a large part of which was spent in Japan, the Hon. Mr. Justice Thomas of the Supreme Court, Lucknow, United Provinces, India, arrived in the Colony this morning by the s.s. Mantua on his return journey to India.

Mr. Thomas, who is accompanied by his daughter and the Hon. Mr. Justice Srivastava, also of Lucknow Supreme Court, has been favourably impressed with all he has seen. During his stay in Japan he visited such well-known places as Kyoto, former capital of Japan, and the shrines and temples at Nikko.

Studying first at the Christian College, an American missionary school in Lucknow, he later spent three and a half years at the Middle Temple before taking his Law Degrees. He has been a judge now for just over a year.

## CHINESE DETECTIVE COMMENDED

### Burglar's Run Of Success Ends

A Chinese detective, Leung Yung, was highly commended by Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning for having cleverly effected the arrest of Lau Kim Wah, a 28-year-old unemployed, who for the past fortnight had been successfully executing a series of burglaries in Tak Shing Street.

Lau appeared in the dock with four charges of larceny and four alternative charges of receiving stolen property against him, and pleaded guilty to all the charges of theft.

In the case of the theft of a gold watch and a \$5 note from Miss E. Tarbit, a teacher residing at the Diocesan Girls' School, Miss Tarbit said she saw the defendant and another man on the verandah outside her room but they both ran away.

Mr. Wynne Jones passed terms of 12 months' hard labour on the defendant.



Mrs. Norman Armour, wife of the new American Minister to Canada, was a Russian Princess before her marriage to the career diplomat.

## H.K.F.A. COUNCIL MEETING

### APPLICATIONS FOR AFFILIATION

#### EASTERN TO APPLY FOR FIRST DIVISION STATUS

A meeting of the Council of the Hong Kong Football Association will be held on Tuesday at the Sports Club, when the following subjects will come up for discussion:

To receive for approval drafts of the revised rules.

To consider the Chung Wah Football Club's reply with regard to affiliation, under "The Chung Wah Football Club."

To consider the Liga Portuguesa de Hong Kong's application for affiliation.

To consider the Eastern Athletic Association's application to enter a team in the First Division.

Correspondence.

## LAWYER SUED FOR 1½D.

### Successful Plea By Corporation

#### OMNIBUS STOPPING PLACE DISPUTE

Glasgow Corporation successfully sued a local lawyer in the small debt court for the sum of 1½d. last month.

The lawyer, Mr. George E. Price, held a bus season ticket from Knightswood to St. Vincent Street, a fare terminus for which the stopping place is about 40 yards short of the street.

Mr. Price declined to alight at the stopping place or to pay the excess fare of three halfpence demanded, on the ground that the Corporation had contracted to carry him to St. Vincent Street, and by not doing so they were not fulfilling their contract.

Universal Custom  
The Sheriff decided in favour of the Corporation and awarded them costs.

He held that the reasonable interpretation of the conditions of the season ticket was that the passenger could not actually be carried to St. Vincent Street, but to the St. Vincent Street stopping place, and that in accordance with almost universal custom the stopping place was the approach or near-side of the street.

## NORTH WESTERN SEEK REORGANISATION

Washington, To-day. — The North-Western has announced that it will file a petition to reorganise under the Bankruptcy Law, and meanwhile will continue negotiations with bond holders in the hope that a tentative reorganisation plan will be worked out within 90 days. — Reuter.

## PORT'S FINE RECORD

The Royal National Lifeboat Institution has decided to lay down a motor lifeboat for Port St. Mary, in the Isle of Man. When she arrives the Isle of Man will have four motor lifeboats and one sailing and one sailing and one sailing.

## HIGH SCORING FEATURES U.S. BASEBALL

### Pinky Higgins Hits Three Homers

#### PHILLIES SHARE SPOILS

New York, To-day. — Although only five baseball games were played yesterday, high scoring was the keynote of the day, the Yankees trouncing the Senators by a 15 to 5 margin, while Pinky Higgins played brilliant baseball to make three circuit clouts for the Athletics against the Red Sox.

Results as cabled by Reuter were:—

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Washington ..... 5 14 0  
New York ..... 15 19 0  
Ben Chapman hit a homer.

Boston ..... 2 4 2  
Philadelphia ..... 14 15 2  
Pinky Higgins (3), Marcum and Ben Johnson hit homers.

Detroit ..... 9 13 2  
McCook, Gehring, Hank Greenberg, Ervin and Fox hit homers.

Chicago ..... 5 5 1  
Haas hit a homer.

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphia ..... 1 5 2  
Hasiin hit a homer and Ed Brant pitched.

Boston ..... 11 13 0  
Wally Berger hit a homer.

Philadelphia ..... 8 15 1  
Verges hit a homer.

Boston ..... 7 13 3

## FRED PERRY FULLY EXTENDED

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In the main match of the day Van Ryn played daring tennis against Perry, his volleying being almost impregnable at the net.

Perry underrated his opponent when leading 5-3 and holding match point, when he made an angled return and ran to the net with outstretched hands, thinking he had won the match, but the point was given out. Perry was then extended to another 10 games before he won the fourth set at 10-8.

Perry entered the last 16 in the Men's Singles and was accompanied by Sydney B. Wood, the 1931 holder, and Donald Budge, of America, H. Hopman and V. McGrath, of Australia, and E. D. Andrews, the New Zealander.

#### TWO DOUBLES MATCHES

Two matches in the Open Doubles championship were played yesterday, H. G. N. Cooper and J. F. G. Lysaght, (Great Britain) eliminating C. H. Kingsley and E. Itok in a five-set clash.

The feature of the encounter was Itok's effective net play and his volleying, his returns being very fast, but Kingsley was weak overhead and lacked stamina. The British pair were the stronger physically and lasted the pace much better.

In the second match the popular Japanese pair Yamagishi and Nishimura beat Billington and Scaffi in straight sets.

The Japanese showed better teamwork, Yamagishi, from the baseline, and Nishimura, at the net, hemming the British pair to a baseline game and passing them down the centre of the court with fast and brilliant drives.

In the Ladies' Singles, Miss Peggy Scriven, the former holder of the French title, was extended to 33 games by Mrs. Shepherd Barron before entering the Third Round.

#### STEFANI BEATEN

In the Third Round of the Men's Singles, Nigel Sharpe, (Gt. Britain) beat G. de Stefani, the Italian Davis Cup player, in five sets, while G. von Cramm, of Germany and one of the favourites for the title, beat Caska, the second ranking Czechoslovakian player, H. W. "Bunny" Austin had little difficulty in disposing of Musgrove, one of the South African team, while G. P. Hughes, (Gt. Britain), R. Menzel (Czechoslovakia), Jack Crawford (Australia) and Gene Mako, (America) also entered the last 16 in the Men's Singles.

Mme. von Sperling, the German champion, reached the last 16 in the ladies' event.

## To-day's Short Story

## TRAVELLING COMPANIONS

By Guy  
Dent

IN Genoa the sun was bright but it was not warm. The travellers waiting their train in the Customs shed moved about restlessly. They spoke in discontented English voices. They said it was as cold as England in March.

In Italy it was March.

A gentleman near the end of the line became suddenly very angry. He commenced to talk bad Italian

very fluently in a loud voice, and he smacked his passport several times upon the table. I do not know what was the matter. He was a small man with a very accurate mustache. He might have been a retired colonel; his face looked that kind. A little woman with an improbable figure said a great deal to him in a soothing voice, but I do not think he heard. I suppose she was his wife. His clothes were dripping over the edge of his open box. Evidently he wore body-belts.

The official who marked my two boxes was very courteous and very beautifully dressed. I raised my hat to him and began to follow my porter towards the sunshine.

## DOMINION DAY IN CANADA

### Some Old History Recalled

#### FRAMING OF FIRST CONSTITUTION

On July 1, Canada's Dominion Day, memories of the British and European connections of the brothers John and Sebastian Cabot, General Wolfe, Jacques Cartier, and other prominent figures in Canadian history will be awakened.

On Tuesday, July 2, at 3 a.m. G.M.T., the Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, High Commissioner in London for the Dominion of Canada, will broadcast a Dominion Day message.

Dominion Day dates back to July 1, 1867, when, following a conference which had begun its meetings in a London hotel in December, 1866, the new Federal Union came into existence. This London conference was composed of representative statesmen from various provinces and, in consultation with the Law Officers of the Crown, framed the British North America Act which formulated the constitution of the new Canada and established the first Federal Union in the British Empire.

## DEVASTATING EARTHQUAKE IN BAVARIA

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At Bersfeld in Hesse a heavy hailstorm was followed by a whirlwind, whereby several hundred trees were torn out by the roots.

In Karlsruhe the shocks were so violent that all the instruments of the geodetic institute of the high school were incapable of registration.

The belief is that the centre of the disturbance is somewhere in the neighbourhood of Lake Constance, where the last earth tremors began—Trans-Ocean Service.

## ANGLO-SPANISH TRADE NEGOTIATIONS

London, To-day. — Colonel Colville yesterday received at the Board of Trade the Spanish Government delegates who are to negotiate a trade agreement. A general exchange of views took place and arrangements were made for a detailed discussion of the various aspects of the negotiations. — British Wireless Service.

I was glad to get out of the shade. It was spring, but there was a cold wind.

The taxis in Italy are built nearer to the ground than in England. They have more curve to the roof. That day they looked like great scarlet beetles shiny, with black heads.

I climbed into one scarlet beetle, and my porter arranged the boxes on the seat opposite. He said "Thank you," and ran away very quickly.

## TO-MORROW'S STORY

To-morrow's story will be "A Glass of Milk," by Michael Joseph.

At Genoa Principal station another porter sweated my things into a high-up train. There was already a lady in the carriage. She was dressed in grey, with black patent-leather shoes. She moved her feet slightly as I stepped over, but she did not turn her head. She was looking out of the window. She was not looking at anything; she was just looking. I was annoyed to find someone else in my carriage, but the porter had disappeared.

I went to the far side and sat down.

The principal station at Genoa is all brown, varnished wood inside. Most stations in Italy are like that inside. They look like tuffe. This station looked ill.

Just before the train started another lady got in. She was dressed in black and had a lot of luggage. She sat down in the corner next the corridor and opposite the lady in grey. I thought she looked nice.

"Do you know what time we get to Santa Margherita?" she asked.

The lady in grey went on looking out of the window; perhaps she was deaf. The lady in black glanced across at me with a little, questioning smile.

"About a quarter to six," I said. "It takes about three-quarters of an hour by this train. This is a fast train. We get in about a quarter to six."

"Thank you," said the lady. "I get off there."

She rearranged her hands in her lap. She rearranged her hands. Then she cupped her chin on one palm and peered through the window. Beyond the window, her side, was the corridor, then more glass, then the grey platform. On the grey platform were little groups of people with fixed faces trying to look amiable until the train went, back of them were the brown station walls.

The lady dropped her hands again to her lap. Then she got up and began to pull about the numerous packages in the big rack above her head. Her gloved hands darted here and there like funeral lizards. She picked up two sunshades and a shooting-stick tied together like a Fascist symbol. She disentangled them from the label on a hat-box, and slid them into the smaller rack below the big one.

Then she sat down again and arranged her hands in her lap. She did not like the new way any better. She peeled off her black gloves and tried it that way for a while.

I saw all this: I was not looking, but I saw it all. The train left Genoa Principal station and commenced to go very fast.

On my side the sea was abruptly across a road beyond some houses. First the road, then the houses, then the sea. But the sea only in abrupt sections through the gaps between the houses.

Just before Genoa-Stria, the residential suburb of Genoa, I saw the full sweep of the sea. It was a high sea. It was discoloured by the earthed pleasures of the waves from the shore. The bright afternoon sun shone upon the tawny crests. Far out a big ship, similar to that which had brought me to Italy, shaped a course for Naples. The smoke from its funnels smeared the horizon for a great distance.

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## DECLINE IN PRICE OF SILVER

### MERELY "SUPPLY AND DEMAND"

MR. MORGENTHAU LACONIC

Washington, To-day. Mr. Henry A. Morgenthau, Secretary of the Treasury, questioned at a press conference on the recent decline in the price of silver, merely remarked: "It is a question of supply and demand."—Reuter.

## RESPONSIBILITIES MUST BE FACED

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We have given our attention to finding the best solution of the problems within the framework of the London communiqué of February 3, and to expediting their settlement. We will continue to examine these questions through diplomatic channels, since the shortness of the time at our disposal did not permit them to be dealt with exhaustively. We have the intention and mutual determination to adjust the methods of our respective Governments to each other and to put the programme of February 3 into effect.

Mr. Eden further informed me regarding the discussions with Signor Mussolini on the Abyssinian dispute.

Before leaving Paris Mr. Eden attended the afternoon session of the Chamber, sitting in the diplomatic gallery, afterwards having a short talk with M. Laval in the Cabinet Members' room.

The British Minister left for London by air last evening.

**BERLIN PRESS COMMENT**  
Berlin, To-day. The passage in M. Laval's speech at the meeting of the Senate Committee for Foreign Affairs on Wednesday, in which the French Premier declared that the door was still open for negotiations with Germany, aroused considerable interest in the Berlin press.

Under the heading "Laval Throws Out a Feeler" the *Berliner Tageblatt* cites a sentence from the speech: "If the possibility of a Franco-German rapprochement on the basis that the integrity of all States be respected really exists, the leader of French policy will not hesitate to do everything he considers to be his duty in the interest of the pacification and reconstruction of Europe", and points out that it is no coincidence that this sentence is so carefully worded and is susceptible to various interpretations.

**"TYPICAL FEELER"**  
It is a typical feeler, states the paper, but it is not quite certain whether it is addressed to Berlin or London.

In this connection the paper refers to the British Cabinet's reply taking no steps prejudicial to the lines of the future Franco-British co-operation, which is unofficially stated to be to the effect that while taking no steps prejudicial to the spirit of the common Franco-British policy, the British Government reserves to itself the right of acting independently in certain cases.

This attitude would have serious consequences on French policy, the future co-operation between the two countries taking the form of parallel but independent action. The likelihood of this development, concludes the *Berliner Tageblatt*, is the probable explanation of the sentence cited from M. Laval's speech.—Trans-Ocean Service.

**QUESTION IN COMMONS**  
London, To-day. The First Lord of the Admiralty was asked in the House of Commons yesterday to explain in what circumstances the Government contemplated giving their assent, under the Anglo-German naval agreement, to the German Government, in the event of "exceptional" construction by other Powers, increasing its total tonnage above its 35 per cent. quota.

In reply he read a portion of the statement referred to which states: "The general equilibrium of naval armaments, as normally maintained in the past, should be maintained by any abnormal construction by any Power, the German Government reserve the right to invite the Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom to examine the new situation thus created." The First Lord said he could Service.

## MONETARY POLICY IN UNITED STATES

### PRESIDENT INSISTS ON DEFINITE ACTION SOVEREIGN STATE MUST NOT BE SUED

Washington, To-day.

Legislation designed to tighten any possible loopholes threatening the nation's new monetary system have been recommended to Congress by President Roosevelt.

A special message from Mr. Roosevelt says: "I believe it important that definite action be taken to eliminate any uncertainty with respect to the right of holders of Government gold clause bonds to sue for payment, either in gold or else in legal tender, with an additional sum of 69 cents on every dollar. To this end I urge the withdrawal by the United States of its consent to be sued upon its currency or securities."

"I recommend, therefore, the enactment of legislation which will make clear that it is our fixed policy to continue to treat bond holders of all our securities equally and uniformly, to afford any holder of any gold clause security who thinks he could by any possibility sustain any loss in the future, the opportunity to put himself immediately in a position to avoid such future loss, and to remove all possibility of such a suit being designed to hamper the Government in administering the public debt and in financing its ordinary emergency expenditures."

The President recommended the immediate enactment of legislation, firstly, authorising the Secretary of the Treasury, at the request of holders of gold clause securities of the United States, to make payment therefor in cash dollar for dollar, with accrued interest, or at the holder's direction to exchange such securities for non-gold clause securities with the same interest and rate of maturity; secondly, terminating any contract which the United States may voluntarily have given to be sued on its securities, coins or currencies; thirdly, re-affirming the fixed policy of the United States to make payment to all holders of its securities, coins or currencies on an equal or uniform dollar for dollar basis, and making appropriations available for payments on this basis only.

The President added: "There is no constitutional or inherent right to sue the Government; on the contrary, the immunity of the sovereign from a suit is a principle of universal acceptance, and permission to bring such suits is an act of grace with us and may be granted or withheld by Congress. Not only justice to the holders of our currencies and securities who support and rely on our policy of equal and uniform treatment to all, but also the interests of our entire people require the Government of the United States to make it clear that it cannot and will not consent to use its courts in aid of efforts to sabotage the operation of the Government or to aid private speculation. This proposal reassures and makes definite the control of Congress over securities and money issued by the U.S.A."—Reuter.

### PANAMA AGREEMENT

Washington, Later. The aforementioned Roosevelt message follows on the heels of the tentative agreement between the United States and Panama for the \$250,000 of the annual rental payment by the United States for the canal zone in dollars equivalent to the old gold value.

Panama in 1934 and 1935 returned the payment in paper dollars and insisted on gold dollars, to which it claimed it was entitled under the treaty of 1903.—Reuter.

## AUSTRALIAN CRICKETERS FOR INDIA

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A C.C.A. meeting will be held at the N.C.C. pavilion on Friday, June 14, to consider arrangements. The match already arranged for August 29, 30 and 31 between an All-Ceylon team and the Rest will help towards the selection of the Ceylon team.

add nothing to this statement, which seemed to him perfectly clear, but he pointed out as stated in Paragraph 3 of the Note, the British Government recognised the right set out in the passage quoted, on the understanding that the 35-100 ratio would be maintained, in default of agreement to the contrary between the two Governments.—British Wireless.

## BUDDING MARINE OFFICERS

### Canton Navigation School

Canton, to-day.

The graduation examination of the Navigation School at Honan will take place from to-day till July 8.

The school was established by the reconstruction authorities last year. There were opened two classes, ship conducting and engineering. The period of study is two years.

After the examination, the students of the engineering class will be sent to the Kwangnan Dockyard and those of the ship conducting class to two ships of the China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company to practice.—Central Press.

## L. DUNCAN'S INSPIRED PLAY IN THE OPEN

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L. Duncan played an inspired game, drawing with deadly accuracy, while his partner ably blocked both hands.

Of the two losers, Rose was obviously the weaker, being unable to cope with the situation. His drives lacked both aim and power, and though he was obliged to play this shot regularly, not once did it prove successful. Purvis played comparatively well, but was no match for his opponent.

## CULLEN LOOKS CERTAINLY FOR INTERPORT

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1932 that he did not gain some further distinction.

As a skip he was also progressing rapidly and was largely responsible for the Kowloon Dockers securing premier league honours in 1927.

**Interport Honours**  
In 1931 he was chosen to skip the Hong Kong rink in the annual Interport encounter with Shanghai and his name is being linked up with three other bowlers, A. W. Grummitt, A. M. Holland, and U. M. Omar, for a similar position this year.

Although Cullen suffered a relapse during 1933 and the following year, he has staged a remarkable comeback and is now believed to be playing even better than he was when he won the Championship.

## INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES BILL FOR PRESIDENT

Washington, To-day. The House of Representatives and the Senate have accepted the conference report on the Industrial Disputes Bill, thereby completing the Congressional action, and it will now go to President Roosevelt for signature.—Reuter.

## INTRA-CLUB LAWN BOWLS TOURNAMENTS

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F. X. Delgado, W. Ward, W. Gill and E. el Arculli (skip) v G. Duncan, A. F. Paul, M. A. R. Souza and U. M. Omar (skip).

J. W. Leonard, R. E. Wood, A. R. Barack and E. Rees (skip) v J. R. Soares, Dr. Fernando, J. S. Landolt and R. Bass (skip).

D. E. Kharas, Y. Abbas, S. Alderman and W. V. Field (skip) v Dr. Karanjia, W. T. Brightman, L. C. R. Souza and B. W. Bradbury (skip).

**Singles Championship**  
C. S. Summers beat J. Cavanagh and will meet the winner of A. S. Gomes v U. M. Omar.

H. Beer beat W. Atkins and will meet the winner of W. R. War v D. Rumjahn.

R. F. Luz beat C. S. Rossetti and now plays L. C. R. Souza who beat W. Ward.

The winner of Dr. Fernando v H. W. Randall will meet J. S. Landolt who received a bye into the Second Round.

R. W. Bradbury v W. V. Field.  
A. E. Coates v W. Phelps.

**Pairs Championship**  
A. E. Coates and M. J. Medina beat G. Duncan and D. K. Kharas and will meet A. S. Gomes and A. F. Paul who beat B. W. Bradbury and H. L. Fox.

J. S. Landolt and W. Ward beat C. Summers and W. Atkins, and will meet W. V. Field and J. R. Soares who beat E. el Arculli and F. X. Delgado.

C. S. Rossetti and Dr. Fernando beat L. C. R. Souza and A. Celbo, and meet D. Rumjahn and G. Garret who beat A. A. Razack and H. W. Randall.

U. M. Omar and Dr. Karanjia beat M. A. R. Souza and Y. Abbas, and meet J. Cavanagh and J. W. Leonard who beat W. K. Way and W. Phelps.

**POLICE R.C.**

**Pairs Handicap**  
T. Tallon and J. C. S. Fender (scr.) beat E. G. Post and C. Downman (scr.), and will meet A. Baker and W. E. Hollands (+3) who defeated C. E. Thorpe and G. Fitches (+8).

**Singles Championship**  
Third Round: G. Perkins beat W. G. Channing, T. Hunter beat A. W. Smith, A. Baker beat J. C. S. Fender, W. S. Glendinning beat W. McHardy.

## FOOTBALL CLUB

Four rinks have entered for the Kinas competition, which will be played on the league system.

and rinks are:  
G. S. Graver, J. Dobson, L. de Rome and A. Jackson (skip).

G. L. Stephens, A. McArthur, A. Humphrey and E. Trick (skip).

H. Moran, K. Ansouk, K. Edwards and A. Brookbank (skip).

A. Steven, G. H. Gelling, J. P. McGowan and J. Russell (skip).

**TAIKOO R.C.**  
No further progress has been made with the Taikoo competition, but the Ladies' Section has been forming ahead.

Mrs. Cunningham heads the list with 7 points to her credit and 35 shots up, although she has played only 4 games. With a similar number of games, Mrs. Summers is a close second with 6 points and 14 shots up.

## CIVIL SERVICE C.C.

**Handicap Pairs**  
H. Westlake and H. Westlake (scr.) beat J. Hollidge and P. E. Knight (-6).

**Handicap Singles**  
T. Armstrong (scr.) beat P. E. Knight (-2); K. Williams (+1) beat H. Westlake (-1).

## KOWLOON B.C.C.

The following is the result of the First Round of the Bowling Green Singles Championship:

G. Hardie beat B. S. Rogers  
G. Mitchell beat P. O'Connell  
P. Morley beat J. Tetley

A. Hyde-Lay beat G. Ross  
W. S. Drake beat W. Roberts  
A. M. Holland beat B. Allen

J. G. Charlton beat S. A. Bright  
H. Nish beat B. Snook  
President's Cup (First Round)

J. Meyer beat E. Minghan  
J. Duncan beat D. W. Waterton  
J. Budding beat C. R. Hosking

T. Gooding beat W. Gill  
J. Tetley beat J. Hanson  
J. C. Brown beat A. S. Russell

B. Rogers beat A. Meloy  
W. Roberts beat B. Snook  
M. Henderson beat W. S. Drake

J. Fraser beat G. Ross  
Handicap Singles (First Round)  
J. Fraser (-3) beat J. Meyer (-4)

A. Meloy (+1) beat W. E. Hale (scr.).  
D. W. Waterton (-2) beat M. J. Henderson (-3).

W. Gill (scr.) beat B. S. Rogers (scr.).

## Second Division Table To Date

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	P	W	L	D	F	A	Up	Down	Pts
J. Russell (H.K.F.C.)	6	1	5	0	33	135	0	42	2
R. E. Davies (C.S.C.C.)	8	1	2	0	137	168	0	31	2
P. L. Hapley (K.B.C.C.)	1	0	1	0	16	17	0	1	0
N. M. Currie (H.K.F.C.)	1	0	1	0	18	20	0	2	0
A. A. Lewis (C.C.C.)	1	0	1	0	15	21	0	6	0
C. T. Tandi (K.C.C.)	2	0	2	0	31	39	0	8	0
G. S. Alexander (Police)	1	0	1	0	14	22	0	8	0
Z. G. Pao (Police R.C.)	1	0	1	0	14	22	0	9	0
T. C. P. Soong (C.C.C.)	1	0	1	0	15	26	0	11	0
T. Carr (C.C.C.)	2	0	2	0	23	27	0	21	0
T. J. Sheehan (H.K.F.C.)	5	0	5	0	67	121	0	14	0

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Fifty years ago in Burlington, Iowa, two brothers met two sisters. And last month in Los Angeles Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hoppe (left), and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoppe celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their double wedding. They have been neighbours all their married lives.

## PORTUGUESE LADY LAID TO REST

Mrs. M. A. Crestejo

### MEMBER OF WELL-KNOWN LOCAL FAMILY

At the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley, yesterday afternoon the remains of the late Mrs. Maria Adelaide Crestejo, whose death occurred suddenly at her residence, 77, Wengneichong Road, on Wednesday, were laid to rest. She was the wife of Mr. A. A. Crestejo, who recently retired from the Eastern Extension Telegraph Company.

The Rev. Father D. Page conducted the service. The chief mourners were Mr. A. A. Crestejo (husband); Alfrado, Raul, and Benaldo Crestejo (sons); Mr. E. F. Peris (nephew); Mr. Eduardo de Jesus Nascimento (brother-in-law); Mr. A. A. Remedios (son-in-law); and several younger children of the deceased.

Others present included: Messrs. W. Allen, J. Anderson, J. M. Abraham, A. Coelho, T. Castilho, M. L. Rocha, L. V. Antonio, F. M. Xavier, J. Delgado, A. F. Delgado, A. Delgado, F. X. Delgado, A. Fernandez, B. L. Rocha, V. Sousa, D. E. Santos, N. G. Lenz, S. A. Marcal, J. Rodrigues, E. Medina, A. Ward, H. Santos, C. Vas, R. M. Silva, J. V. Cordeiro, L. M. Osorio, F. A. Osorio, G. F. Santos, M. Rosa, G. Sousa, E. Pomeroy, F. A. Colloco, M. Xavier, Mrs. R. White, Miss B. Fernandez, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Franco, Mrs. J. Gomes, Miss Elarte, Mrs. R. Manalac, and Mrs. F. X. Sousa.

Many floral tributes were sent and included among them were wreaths from: Loving husband and family; Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson and family; Mr. and Mrs. P. Andrade and family; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Coelho, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Castilho, Mr. A. F. Castilho and family; Mr. Chin George, Mr. and Mrs. E. Edwards, Mr. P. T. Farrell, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Laurel, Mr. F. X. Delgado, Mr. and Mrs. C. Villa Carlos, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. L. Delgado and family; Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Guider, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gomes, Mr. and Mrs. Honey and family; Mrs. C. Leonard and family; Mr. and Mrs. A. Mathias, Mr. Alberto Fernandez, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Manalac, Mr. George Lai, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rocha, Mrs. J. M. Boza, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rodrigues, Mrs. L. M. dos Santos and family; Mrs. C. W. Ward and family; Mr. Y. K. Lee, Miss Wong May-may, Mr. Wong Ping-long, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Xavier, and the Finery Garage.

### SCARLET FEVER

B. H. Moore, the Hampshire C.C.C. amateur, has scarlet fever and will be out of the team for two months or more.

## PASSING OF C.M.C. OFFICER

MR. S. F. McGRATH

### BURIAL AT HAPPY VALLEY YESTERDAY

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley, of the late Mr. Sidney Francis McGrath, formerly of the Chinese Maritime Customs, who died at the French Hospital on Wednesday after a long period of ill health.

He was unmarried but leaves an aged mother, two brothers and two sisters in England.

Father D. Page officiated at the graveside and among those present were Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Bander, Mr. C. B. C. Bander, Mr. A. Ogilvie, Mr. E. Chippendale Charrington, Mr. H. J. White, Mr. C. H. Fuller, Mr. F. Winyard, Mr. and Mrs. C. Large, Mrs. Fan and Mr. J. Winyard.

Floral tributes were sent by the following:—Dear Mother, "Chuckero," Mr. and Mrs. Bander and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. K. Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. G. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Adams, loving brother and sister: Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Maxwell, Mrs. Winyard and family, Mr. E. Chippendale Charrington, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Roylance, George H. K. Lee and Jimmy, R. W. Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Large, Mrs. M. Jan See-chin and family, and Airline Hotel.

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## Travelling Companions

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I felt the lady in black looking at me. I felt the lady in black looking at the lady in grey. I felt she was very psychic. I felt she did not like the other lady. I was not watching, but I felt all this.

The train went very fast. The wind beat continually upon the glass by my face, and we went through many tunnels.

"It is lucky," said the lady in black, "that the trains are electric in Italy." She was talking to me because the lady opposite her was still looking out of the window.

"Yes," I said, "there's no smoke. One need not shut the window every time."

We shot out of the latest tunnel and ran along beneath a tall hill. The hillside was covered with grey olive trees, not yet dusty, and there were cherry-trees amongst them in new laundered white bodices all sparkling and gay.

Suddenly the lady in grey began to laugh. She laughed quite a good deal.

I looked across the carriage out of her window, and saw that we were driving through a small station with a curious name which I forget now. There were a lot of Z's in it.

The wind was playing with the skirts of some foreign women standing upon the platform. I knew they were not Italian women because the natives of such a small place would not be wearing those sorts of clothes so early in the year. Their skirts showed a perverse tendency to ascend to heaven. The women were holding them down with difficulty.

The lady in grey, ignoring the lady opposite her, turned her head towards me. She was still laughing.

"They don't need so much trouble with their souls," she said. Then I saw that she was only laughing with her mouth; her eyes were quite different.

I had thought, from the colouring and a from her silence, that she was herself Italian. I was a little astonished, and did not know what to say.

The lady in black flashed a small, malicious glance at me. I knew she did not like the lady in grey.

But as the lady immediately turned back her head to look again out of the window I saw I need not further search for correct words. It was the first movement I had seen her make, and then she only moved her head. Her body remained set and her fingers clung all the time to the little padded shelf just below the window. She was holding on very tightly, and the second joint of all her fingers was arched and rigid beneath the thin film of grey kid. They were thin fingers, and they looked like the grey claws of a bird.

A ticket collector came along the corridor and saluted us all very politely.

He looked approvingly from beneath the peak of his uniform cap at the red plush upholstery of the carriage. He thought it all reflected much credit upon his country. His eyes said as much.

The lady in black and I extended our slips of pasteboard, which he clipped after a perfunctory examination. The other lady did not move. She said something very rapidly in Italian, and the official nodded and went away.

I looked out of the window once more, and was very pleased to see that we were far down the coast towards Portofino Cape. The stations through which we passed looked very healthy. There were some nice villas with bright pictures painted on them, and now and then a flaming judas-tree in a garden. The sea was merrily attacking the land.

"I like the judas-tree," said the lady in black suddenly. I turned round and saw she was now looking out my side.

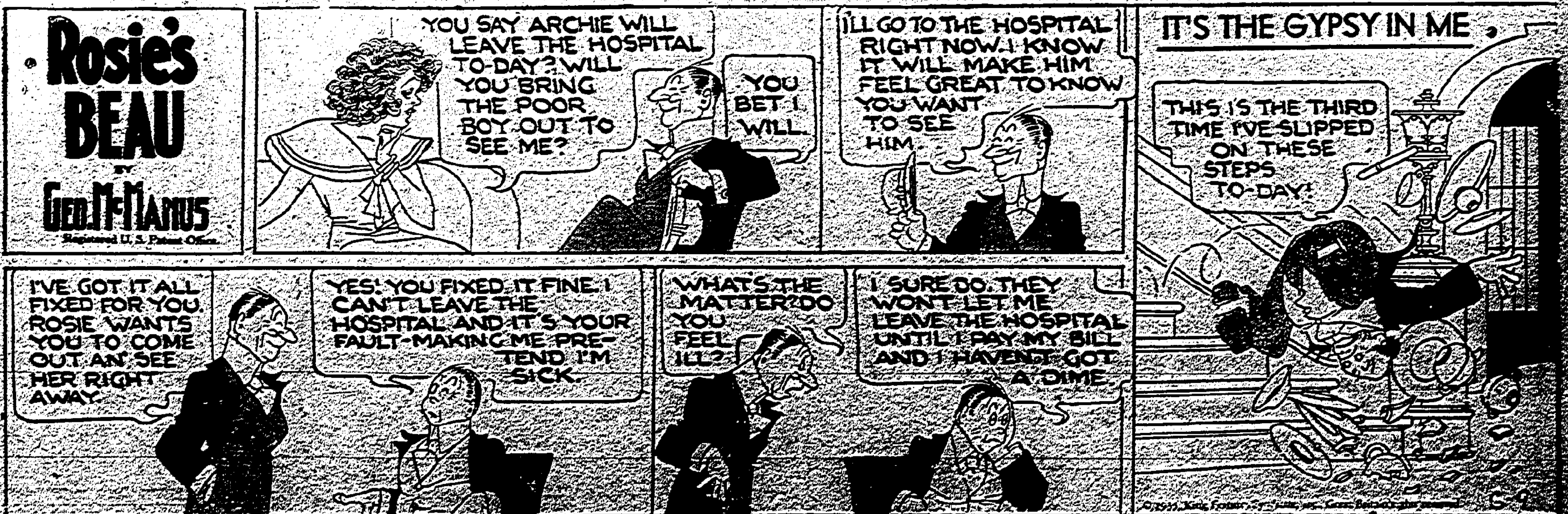
Her hands were flat upon the cushions each side of her. She had long fingers with curiously wide tips. The broad tips spoiled the look of her hands.

She didn't seem to like them either. For directly she saw I was looking at them she rearranged them, and, after some fumbling, put on her gloves.

"Are you going to Santa Margherita too?" she asked.

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A scene from Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson's interesting travel picture, "Babeena," which will be shown at the King's Theatre soon.

## Travelling Companions Short Shots

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I realised then that I had made no kind of reply to her last remark. I felt rather guilty about it.

"Yes," I said, "and then on to Portofino."

"Will you be there for the festa?"

"I hope so," I said.

"Oh, I wish I could be," she said, "but I can't spare the time."

"It's pretty good. It's their great day. San Giorgio day."

"They carry huge crosses about, don't they? Old men carry them?"

"That's right," I said, "they pay to. They get off a thousand years of purgatory—or something. There's keen competition."

The lady in grey jerked herself around in one fierce, flowing movement.

"Why can't women carry them, too?" she demanded. "Don't women want to get off purgatory too? Why shouldn't they have the chance?"

She was looking at me pretty hard. I didn't like the look of her eyes much. She ignored the lady in black and stared at me.

"Well," I said, "the women follow behind and sing—"

"Anyway," she interrupted, "they can't get off hell like that. Not by carrying crosses. Not so easily as that."

She slumped back against the red upholstery and began again to look out of the window her side.

The other lady looked from her to me and back with a faint, malicious smile. It seemed to me she had some private information about the lady in grey.

"On San Giorgio Day—" I began. Then I saw that no one was taking any more interest, so I stopped and picked up my newspaper.

Sir Joseph and Lady Blooms, I read, had arrived at the Hotel Magnifico at Mentone. Helen Willis-Moody was going great in practice matches for her attack on the Wimbledon Championship.

In New Zealand an earthquake had eaten up three small towns in a night.

I turned to the pictures, I read what was written, both in English and French, beneath each. There was one picture of folk skating on some lake near London, and a blurred picture of the six-year-old daughter of a fireman, whose father had been killed on holiday trying to stop a runaway horse and lorry.

I thought it all very interesting. At Camogli the lady in black got up and began to pile her luggage on the floor and on the seat at her side.

I said something about the beauty of the country around here.

It turned out that she had once rented a villa on the hillside up amongst the chestnuts towards Portofino-Vetta. But the garden had been a disappointment, so that year she was going to try Santa Margherita. Some friends of hers had been there a few seasons back and had been very well pleased.

They said it was quite gay.

"Gay!" said the other woman without turning her head.

"Gaiety comes from within."

The lady in black smiled at me as though we were sharers in a secret. She was continually plunging her funeral hands through and through her heap of small parcels on the seat, fingering them. I imagined she must be a nervous type.

We dived through the last tunnel. The painted villas began to run less swiftly past the train, though they did not seem in the least tired.

The lady looked across and then leaned sideways towards me.

"Do you know . . . ?" she commenced in a low voice, " . . . who . . . ?" She stopped and looked over her shoulder.

I, too, glanced over at the woman about whom my companion was evidently attempting a confidence. She was not looking at us. She was staring beyond the corridor, beyond the olive clad hills; beyond time into timeless memories.

I thought, however, she knew all that was taking place in the carriage. I thought she knew all that was happening in Italy—in the world. I thought that she and the grave fly balancing on the window-pane were partners in a spaceless secret more profound than any I could ever bear to hear.

I thought she was a very dangerous type. I thought she knew things.

Then the train was beside the grey slip of platform set between two rows of lines, and then stopped, and I handed out luggage to porters who came up to the windows.

As I followed the lady in black down the steps of the carriage, I paused a moment. I just felt like saying something.

"Do you go far?" I began, turning back to the quiet figure in the corner.

"I don't know," she said, still peering out with her face from me.

"I don't know at all," she stopped.

"I just don't know," she concluded faintly.

I forgot what I was going to say and had no time to think of anything fresh for my porter was selling for me.

As I went down the slope to the subway, the lady in black came up with me.

"Do you know who that was?" she asked, jerking her head back at the train which was already in motion.

"No," I said.

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Wallace Leslie Howard has already introduced his daughter "Leslie" to the microphone in a sketch with her on the Radio. They all realise that after all film acting is the easiest and quickest way of making fortunes.

Douglas Montgomery will be in the cast with Alice Brady in her next film "Mom."

Julie Hayden, who hardly had a chance when last in Hollywood, has scored so big a hit in the Hecht-MacArthur-Noel Coward film "The Scoundrel" that Paramount has rewarded her with a contract. By the bye, the critics write in high praise of the picture and especially of Noel Coward, although it is hardly the type that will appeal to any but the most sophisticated audience.

I am glad to say Mary Ellis will be seen in two pictures this year with Paramount. She is at present on the London stage with Ivor Novello.

Anne Grey, seen so often with Tom Walls, will be the leading lady with Laurel and Hardy in their latest, "Bonnie Scotland"—DIANE.

## MASS MARRIAGE IN NANCHANG

### First Ceremony Of Its Kind

Nanchang.

The first mass marriage ceremony was held here recently when six couples were married at a simple but dignified ceremony held at the auditorium of the Nanchang Municipal Government. Mr. Kung Hsueh-shui, Commissioner of Civil Affairs of the Kiangsi Provincial Government, officiated at the ceremony, which was witnessed by more than 500 people in view of the novelty of the event—Chekia Agency.

"You remember that case," she said, "last spring in the West of England. The woman who poisoned her husband, but got off through lack of evidence?"

"Ah!" I said, "Was that—?"

"Yes," she said with a grin.

"Poor thing," I said.

Just then her porter dropped one or two of her packages which delayed her a little so that I mounted the further steps to the daylight somewhat ahead. I had seen Jack waiting for me.

When Jack saw me he called out:

"Hello!" he said.

"Hello," I said, "you look well."

"I am. Never better in my life."

Just then the lady in black came slowly up the steps.

She started to smile when she saw me waiting there. Then she saw Jack and after one startled look began to fumble in her handbag. She went by as very quickly without saying "Good-bye."

"Do you know who that was?" asked Jack, staring after her.

"No," I said.

"You remember that case," said Jack, "last year at Marblethorpe in the West of England. Woman fed her husband with arsenic, but they couldn't fix it on her."

"Yes," said Jack. "That's her all right. I was Marshal then to old Jimmy Harpott who tried the case. I knew her at once."

"Poor thing," I said.

(The End)

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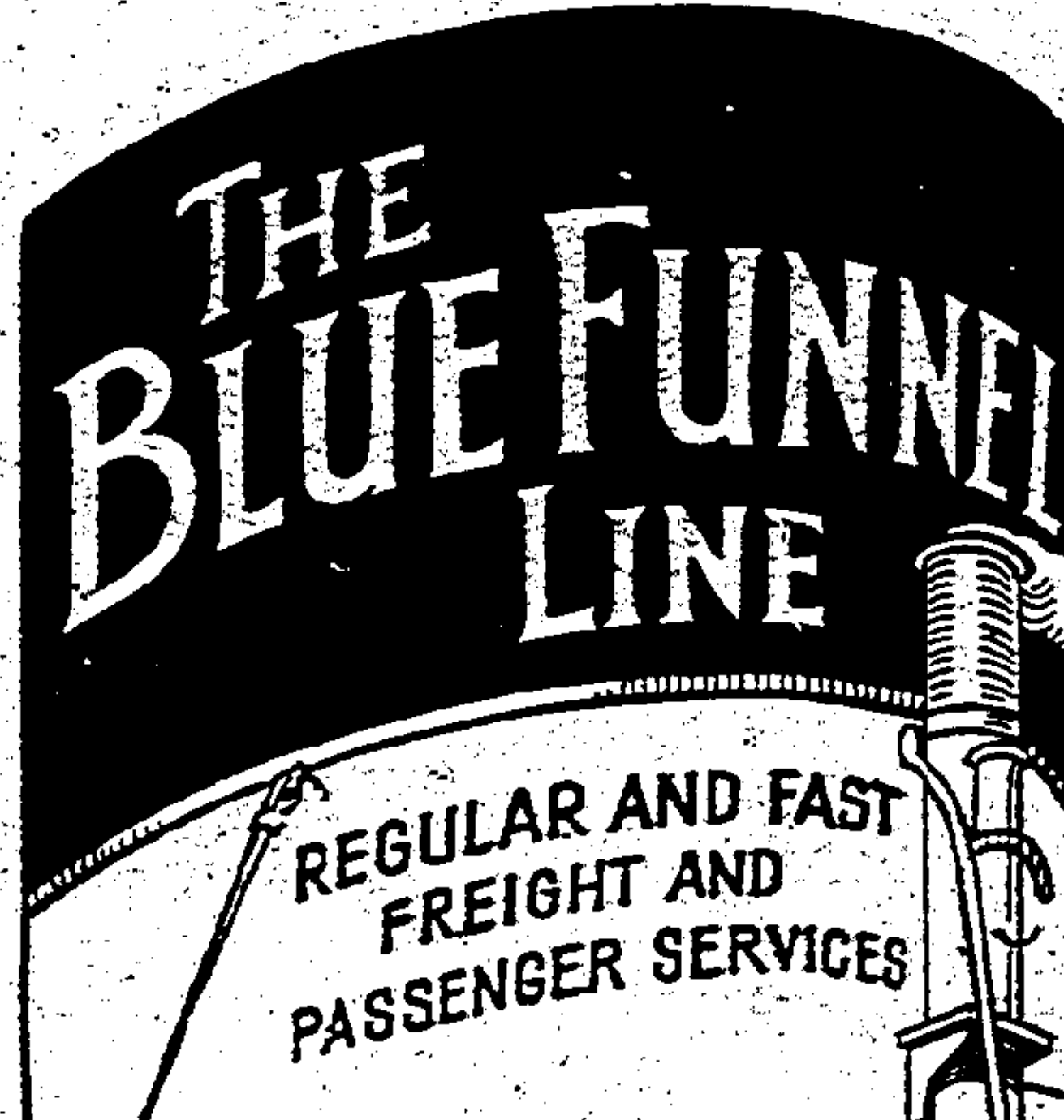
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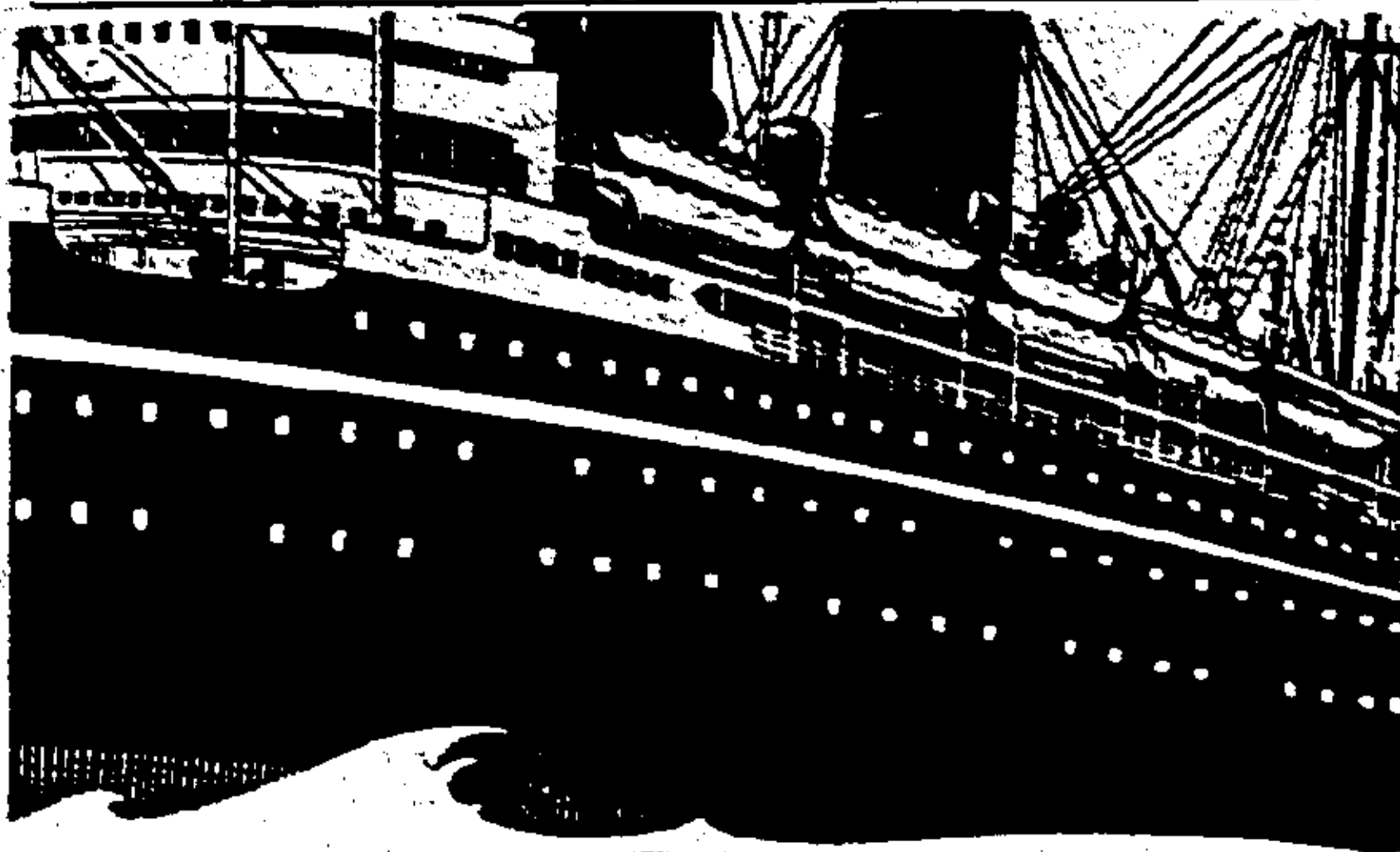
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## HOCKEY WIZARDS IN AUSTRALIA

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The dark-skinned warriors of sport made the ball do weird and unimaginable things. They could pick up the ball on their sticks as one pulls a tennis ball from the ground on to a racket, and it would stay there as though glued to the blade. They could stop the ball on the volley as does a lacrosse player. With gently insinuating taps they could make the ball curve and swerve, and obey the slightest movement of their supple wrists. It was an amazing exhibition.

### Wizardry

Imagine our Australian hockey players having to compete against such wizardry. One saw them stand bewildered when their rushes to intercept an Indian with the ball at his stick were nullified by a back-handed flip which sent it spinning in quite a different direction.

And that I think is all the explanation that should be required as to why All-India has beaten Western Australia 11 goals to 2, South Australia 10 goals to 1, and Victoria 15 goals to 4.

They go to New Zealand this week here, we assume, to collect further victories. On their return to Australia, en route to India, in August, they may play a Test match either in Melbourne or Sydney against an All-Australian team.

### The Sydney Match

Hockey as played by the touring Indian players proved an eye-opener to Sydney followers of sport when the Indians defeated a Sydney team by 11 to 4. A type of game as different from that played in Sydney as the hockey stick is from a tennis racquet was turned on by the Indians. Australians are miles behind them, but the game should be a wonderful lesson to the locals.

The first thing we must do is to discard the hitherto prevalent idea that hockey is a game of brawn. It is obviously a game which vies with any other in science.

The Indian players rarely hit the ball very hard. They flick short passes to one another, and instead of belting wildly in scoring goals, they more often than not flick them too. The other feature of their play is combination. That they are able to outwit their opponents by fairly soft (yet wonderfully accurate) shots is due mainly to the support which they are always in position to give.

### The Locals

For Sydney, Ken Le Leivre (back) was outstanding. His defence in the first half was a stumbling block for the Indians, and cheer after cheer came his way as he nipped very dangerous moves in the bud.

Leggatt, the University right-winger, has cultivated a quality of speed and stickwork which places him above most of his teammates. He figured in a brilliant individual piece of work, which saw him send a fine centre to Percy Tester from the side-line and the latter scored one of his goals.

The team as a whole lacked combination, and the methods of the individuals were not to be compared with their opponents. When our hockey has been remodelled on the lines of the Indians, a multitude of Australian sporting followers will flock to the games.—(Sydney Referee.)

## RECREIO CHALLENGE IN "C" DIVISION

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### Holden Disappoints

Holden would do well to modify his style of play, his over-eagerness to slice the ball on the back-hand invariably ended in the net, while his spin service very rarely came off after the first set, double faults being too numerous to mention.

Angus and Whitley experienced another of their off-days, the latter being "right" off-form, while Angus appeared too anxious and consequently made many errors.

Scores were: J. Xavier and P. Rozario (Recreio) beat H. Angus and T. Whitley 6-1; best to D. Smith and J. Clayton 4-5; best G. Gurevitch and W. Holden 7-6; C. Xavier and C. C. Pereira (Recreio) beat Angus and Whitley 6-4; best Smith and Clayton 6-2; best Gurevitch and Holden 6-1; A. E. Silva and H. Goncalves (Recreio) beat Angus and Whitley 6-1; best Smith and Clayton 6-1; best Gurevitch and Holden 6-1.

## K.C.C. MAY BEAT K.B.G.C. TO MORROW

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The leaders, the Bowling Green are anticipating an easy victory over their near neighbours the K.C.C., and should not be disappointed. Talkoo are due to meet "the men who go down to the sea in yachts," and should repeat their earlier victory.

The best match in this division should be that between the Beccario and the Police at King's Park, and the closest should be at the Football Club, where the home team meet the very much improved Electric combination. The home teams are likely to win in each case.

The following are to-morrow's teams:

### SENIOR TEAMS

Police R.C. C. Downman, W. S. Dill, E. G. Post, and W. E. Hollis (skip). W. McLeod, T. Talbot, F. Nolan and J. Shepherd (skip). J. Fender, G. Perkins, W. McHardy and G. Moss (skip).

### Kowloon B.C.C.

A. S. Russell, W. S. Drake, J. Budding and L. Guy (skip). P. Farrell, R. Duncan, H. Nish, and A. Holland (skip).

### Civil Service

H. Major, J. F. McGowan, A. O. Brawn and A. W. Grimmett (skip). J. Gellatley, S. Eccleshall, J. Deskin and F. Jones (skip).

### Craigengower "A"

A. E. Coates, A. S. Gomes, D. Rumpah and B. W. Bradbury (skip). C. S. Simmonds, L. C. R. Sousa, H. Beer and U. M. Omar (skip).

### Craigengower "B"

G. Duncan, W. T. Brightman, W. Gill and E. el Arculli (skip). A. Coelho, H. V. Pearce, M. A. E. Sousa and C. S. Rossetti (skip).

### Kowloon C.C.

J. R. Soares, M. J. Medina, W. V. Field and J. Cavanagh (skip). H. Overy, F. Goodwin, W. Hyde and R. P. Phillips (skip).

### Beccario

J. W. M. Brown, R. G. Craig, N. Beccario and A. Hyde-Lay (skip).

H. Gittins, W. C. Simpson, R. G. Fincher and J. Fraser (skip).

### Kowloon Dock

W. Greig, J. Revis, R. Lapsley and F. Cullen (skip). V. E. R. Morrison, J. Kempton and J. McKelvie (skip).

### JUNIOR TEAMS

#### Football Club

A. Steven, A. Hamblin, A. Jackson and A. Macfarlane (skip). G. Stephens, P. Morgan, E. J. Edwards and J. Russell (skip).

#### Craigengower

J. Leonard, Dr. Karamia, Y. Abbas and W. E. Hollis (skip). G. Lai, A. W. Randall, Dr. Fernando and A. Mitchell (skip).

#### Police R.C.

D. Bore, A. Park, W. Cunningham, and J. C. Chalmers (skip). S. Pollock, R. Wright, J. Watson and T. F. Stanton (skip).

#### Police R.C.

L. Glendinning, W. Cameron, A. Wright and A. W. Smith (skip). W. Clark, W. Headridge, G. Alexander and S. Logan (skip).

#### Kowloon B.C.C.

B. Rodgers, D. Waterson, M. J. Henderson and G. Sheriff (skip). S. Bright, L. A. R. Duncan, J. G. Charlton and G. R. F. Thompson (skip).

#### Senior Team

B. Williams, E. W. Hamilton, L. R. Whant and J. Purvis (skip). E. W. Simmonds, W. J. Burling, H. Westlake and H. Westlake (skip).

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J. Harper, M. E. Purvis, T. Armstrong and G. Sheriff (skip). S. Bright, L. A. R. Duncan, J. G. Charlton and G. R. F. Thompson (skip).

#### Senior Team

G. Lee, C. Fletcher, M. N. Rakman and T. W. Carr (skip). F. S. W. Smith, J. S. Dimmen, C. J. Taachi and W. J. Geall (skip).

#### Senior Team

H. Nissim, S. J. Houghton, J. Smith and L. E. Lammert (skip).

## GRIMMITT'S RINK PAY THE PENALTY

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Last Sunday, when Grimmett's four were so sensationally removed from the Open Rink contest by the Portuguese representatives, they were not skipped by Alves, they were not repeating the form when they swept everything before them the previous year, but were too careful and paid the price generally demanded by such tactics, and the Portuguese rink won deservedly.

Ribeiro is one of the best No. 3's seen this year and was of great service to his skip.

### R. Duncan's Good Game

Holland has to thank the veteran R. Duncan, and, in a minor way J. C. Brown, for extracting his rink from what looked like defeat on the last head of the contest against the Football Club rink, skipped by A. Brooksbank.

Although P. T. Farrell was the star, and, as such, scintillated, it was Duncan and Brown who played the shots which gave the Bowling Green rink their victory on rink critical last head when the score stood 20-19 in their favour.

A. Brooksbank was driving with great success; at one head he saved a count of seven. Great credit is due to this skip for his foresight and determination which brought his men into line with a senior and more enterprising combination who threatened to spread eagle his side in the earlier stages of the game—the position of the heads and the back bowls his men gave him made the driving he indulged in a necessity.

### A Great Bowler

J. Gibson, who, for many years was the mainstay of the K.C.C. team and was skip in 1931, when his Club won the League Championship, still takes a vital interest in the game, but confines himself to the role of spectator. What a valuable asset he would be to the K.C.C. at the present time! The sooner Gibson decides to "come back" and I have every reason to believe he will—then the sport will be all the better for his presence.

As a bowler he is equal to the best. He was successful in many competitions during his sojourn with the K.C.C., and was twice champion of the K.B.C.C. and the latter Club had his services in 1933, when they became champions.

Walter Aitkenhead, who presented the shield to Hong Kong which bears his name, and is contended for annually between the Island and the Mainland, considers Gibson to be one of the finest exponents of lawn bowls he has ever seen, and many others are of the same opinion.

### Juniors Extend Series

The Bowling Green junior rinks have firmly established themselves as favourites for the League honours this year. This team is believed to be much better than the senior representatives of the same Club, and I am told, that in practice matches the junior members invariably have the better of the exchanges.

The rink that Sheriff skips is certainly a splendid combination, and Rose's four is not far behind in general ability. Bright, L. A. R. Duncan, and Chaffin are playing wonderful bowls and their skip is improving.

Meanwhile, the Beccario are hanging on to the leaders like grim death and still have a chance. It was a creditable win they had against the Football Club, as the Valley team, in Russell, Brooksbank, Macfarlane, Jackson, Trunk and Currie, have talented and experienced bowlers.

Talkoo, who are in third position in the League table, have not met the Beccario yet and may have the distinction of being the only Club to lower the colours of the League leaders before the season concludes.

They are due at the Bowling Green on July 20, and enthusiasts who will witness this battle are likely to be given a real treat. The fascinating form of the K.C.C. and Civil Service is a tribute to the team-building activities of the Seniors, who are helping themselves from the junior ranks, and partly to the rainy weather and water-logged greens.

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## GOLF NOTES

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### THE SUMMER CUP

H. MUNDY entered the final by way of a walk-over given by J. W. Thomson, who was unable, through illness, to play the match. D. C. Wilson defeated W. Ahern 4 and 3 and that makes it Captain versus Vice-President for a full-day final.

A braver man than I might have a shot at predicting the result, and I will only content myself with observing that it ought to be the closest final of the year and a fitting conclusion to the 1934-35 season.

### FIRST AND SECOND DIVISION

AMERICA, the land of food, water, National Recovery Acts, elevators, and high pressure salesmen now gives the world a lead through inaugurating a system of split-prizes for professional golfers.

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## TWO NEW BILLS IN AMERICA

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### LABOUR MEASURE PASSED

Washington, To-day.  
The Bland Copeland Bill for building up the merchant marine by subsidies has been passed by the House of Representatives by 194 votes to 186, and forwarded to the Senate.

The Representatives and the Senate both approved the Congress conference report on the Wagner Labour Disputes Bill, which will now go to the President for signature. The Bill prohibits unions dominated by companies and creates a permanent National Labour Relations Board.—Reuter.

### WORLD HINDANCES TO TRADE

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materials otherwise scarcely available. At the same time the young countries were enabled to develop much more rapidly by being able to raise loans in the older countries with which to finance imports, after which they maintained the interest and amortisation service by exporting raw materials.

If the principle of the mathematical equality of import and export in the case of every two countries were rigidly maintained, this process of development in the younger countries could not be continued.

No permanent recovery of world trade could be expected, said Mr. Ohlin, until a new world currency system was devised, setting well-defined limits to the extent to which the world's leading currencies could fluctuate. It was useless removing quotas and currency restrictions if numerous important currencies were still able to depreciate suddenly overnight.—Trans-Ocean Service.

### NAVAL CADETS ON RUNAWAY SHIPS RETURN

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The 25 cadets aboard the two runaway cruisers returned here from Hong Kong last night after release by order of Commander Tang Ching-hai, leader of the mutiny. All the cadets will report for further duty at the Whampoa Naval Academy to-day. Some of them are sons of local officials, one being the brother-in-law of Lieut-General Huang Kwang-jui, head of the Canton Air Force.

"We had a very exciting experience," said one of the midshipmen. "Though dazed during the exchange of fire at Boeca Tigris forts, we gained some practical experience in naval warfare. The Nanking cruiser, Ning Hai, also fired at us though it did not intend to sink the two runaway ships."

## WHITCOMBE LEADS FIELD IN BRITISH OPEN

Three Strokes Better  
Than Holder

PADGHAM TIES WITH  
HENRY COTTON

Muirfield, To-day.

Charles Whitcombe (Gt. Britain), the elder of the three Whitcombe brothers, is leading the field in the British Open Golf Championship by three strokes as the result of the second round which was completed yesterday on the Muirfield course. Half the field handed in their card.

Henry Cotton (Gt. Britain), the holder, who led the field after the first round, is lying second three strokes behind the leader, while Alfred Padgham (Gt. Britain) also aggregated 142.

Three other British entrants, Kenyon, of West Lancashire, Branch and Perry, are fourth, fifth and sixth, while Boomer, of France, is the nearest European challenger, being six strokes behind the leader.

The first 58 players and those trying for the 60th place qualified for the two final rounds which take place to-day.

The qualifying score was 153, and among those who failed to pass this mark were Barton, who led the field in the first qualifying round, Abe Mitchell, who returned a card of 187, and Duncan (160). Sid Brews, the South African golfer, and Arthur Havers, were among those who just qualified, returning cards of 153.

Scores, as cabled by Reuter, were as follow:

Charles Whitcombe	71+68=139
Alfred Padgham	70+72=142
Henry Cotton (Britain)	
(Holder)	68+74=142
Branch	71+73=144
Perry (Leatherhead)	69+75=144
Kenyon (West Lancashire)	70+74=144
Laidlaw (Malden)	74+71=145
Sweeney	72+73=145
Boomer	76+69=145
Cox (Addington)	76+69=145
MacDonald Smith	
(U.S.)	69+77=146
Lacey (Leatherhead)	71+75=146
Picard (U.S.)	73+73=146
Holland (Gerrard's Cross)	72+74=146
Lawson Little (U.S.)	75+71=146
Lucas	74+73=147
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Archie Compton	75+74=149
Boyer	74+75=149
Dalley	75+74=149
Eric Green	72+77=149
Bert Hodson	72
Eric McRae (Britain)	76+73=149
Mahon	71+79=150
Hector Thomson	75+76=151
Mark Seymour	75+76=151
Esar	76+75=151
Jack McLean	74+77=151
Ball	76+75=151

## SURREY AND ESSEX TRIUMPH

Read's Fine Bowling  
At Bristol

### SOUTH AFRICANS WIN

London, To-day.

Dismissing Staffordshire for 60 runs in their first innings, A. B. Langton, the fast-medium paced bowler, gave the South African tourists their eleventh win on tour when playing at Stoke-on-Trent yesterday, when he followed up his 5 for 49 against Leicestershire and 11 for 112 against Middlesex, by taking 4 for 6 in the first innings.

In their second knock Staffordshire were only able to score 88, thus losing by an innings.

Surrey beat Hampshire by an innings and 7 runs in their County Championship encounter at Basingstoke to record their fourth win, while at Bristol, Essex registered their third win by beating Gloucestershire by 9 wickets. Read took 6 for 38 to dismiss the home team for 102 in their second innings.

Scores as cabled by Reuter were:

Surrey beat Hampshire, by an innings and 7 runs at Basingstoke.  
Hants: 79 and 188.  
Surrey: 274.

Essex beat Gloucester by 9 wickets at Bristol.  
Gloucester: 163 and 102 (Read 6 for 38).  
Essex: 206 and 62 for 1.

The South Africans beat Staffordshire by an innings and 42 runs at Stoke-on-Trent.  
Staffordshire: 60 (A. B. Langton 4 for 6) and 88.  
S. Africans: 190 (Backhouse 5 for 49).

### PEACE BALLOT RESULT GIVEN IN ALBERT HALL

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much as we do," was greeted with loud cheering.

A resolution calling on the Government to carry out a constructive policy of peace and universal disarmament was carried with one dissentient, at which there were shouts of "Throw him out!"—Reuter.

John Basson	75+76=151
Davies	78+74=152
Sid Brews (S Africa)	73+74=153
A. Havers	73+74=153
Barton	76+78=154
Abe Mitchell	78+79=157

An earlier cable stated that, owing to a change in the wind, conditions were clearer and finer, but the crowds at the early matches were smaller, which was probably due to the fact that Cotton was a late starter.—Reuter.

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